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WINTER WEATHER.

The Middle South and West Has the A Plucky St. Louis Youth Hour Up

Shivers.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The first winter weather of the season is enveloping the whole middle South and West today, the line of freezing temperature extending as far south as Central Texas. The coldest place in the country is Havre, Mont., where 16 deg. below zero was chronicled last night, while zero weather is being experienced as far east as Moorhead. Minn. It is below that point through North Dakota.

At St. Paul it was 8 deg. above today; at Chicago 18 deg, above and at St. Louis 26 deg. above, this being tha average temperature down into Texas. The cold wave is moving eastward rapidly.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—It was learned today that a quartette of strolling gypsies yesterday made an almost successful attempt to kidnap Willie and Henry Wilman, aged 10 and 8 years respectively, while on their way home from school. Henry escaped and rushed home. He told John, an older brother, who procured a revolver and control of the revolver, and willie in their wagon. John, at the point of his revolver, orced the nomads, who had secreted Willie in a large box in the wagon, to give the boy up. When rescued the boy had his hands and feet tied. The gypsies escaped into the country. CHICAGO, Nov. 23.-The first win-

Four Gypsy Kidnapers.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—It was learned

## FIXED POLICY

## Sagasta Will not Give

With Enthusiasm.

Blanco Authorized to Spend a Large Sum to Relieve Suffering—Cubar Conservatives Displeased With Remarks at Marquis Apesteguis

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] MADRID, Nov. 23.—[By Atlantic Ca-ble.] Premier Sagasta, replying today to a Catalan deputation, formally de-clared that the government of Spain could in no way modify its programme of autonomy for Cuba. Continuing, the Premier expressed the hope that the Cuban Assembly would elect a commis-sion which would coöperate with a Spanish commission in determining the mercial relations between Cubs and Spain, by consulting their mutual

This is interpreted as meaning that the Cabinet will adopt the scheme of Senor Moret, the Minister of the Colo-nies, who, as cabled to the Associated Press yesterday, announced to a Cata lan delegation that he had fully con-sidered the general interests of the colo-nies, and was convinced that his policy alone would lead to a peaceful solution.

The Cabinet in council has approved
the article in the autonomy scheme
glving the Cubans the control of the

customs. Its terms will not be published until it has received the sanction of the Queen Regent.

In addition to the granting of an autonomous tariff for Cuba, the following reforms have been proposed: The Chamber of Deputies of the island shall be composed of between forty and fifty members, a Deputy for each 40,-000 of the population. The Governor-General is to choose from this chamber five members to form an Executive Committee consisting of a president and ministers of the Interior, Finance, Justice and Public Works. The Governor-General shall have the right to veto legislation.

WEYLER AT BARCELONA.

Tries to Escape an Ovation, but is Forced to Appear. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

BARCELONA, Nov. 23-[By Atlantic Cable.] Gen. Weyler, the former captain-general of Cuba, arrived here this morning on board the steamer Mont-serrat from Havana. The general landed beneath the Columbus monument at 1 a.m. and was acclaimed by about twenty thousand people. In order to escape the manifestation

the general was driven to the house of Deputy Saladrigas, where, however, he was forced to appear upon the balcony and was applauded by the crowds gathered about the house.

A number of bands and choirs took the balcony and was applauded by the crowds gathered about the house.

go to Palma, Island of Majorca, his birthplace, where the inhabitants have been preparing to give him a hearty welcome home. He will arrive in Mad-rid about the middle of December.

GEMS FROM HIS THINKER. BARCELONA, Nov. 23.-Gen. Wey ler, addressing a number of his friends shortly after his arrival here, expressed great regret at his recall from Cuba, alleging that he was particularly an noved at the attitude of certain news noyed at the attitude of certain news-papers, which had declared that he fa-vored the insurgents. Continuing, the general remarked: "Spanish soldiers, however, have the same contempt for these papers as they have for filibus-ters."

nowever, have the same contempt for these papers as they have for filibusters."

Referring to the concentration of the Cuban peasants near the towns of that island, Gen. Weyler explained that he deemed such a step necessary because they were "spies, and the most devoted friends of the enemy."

In regard to autonomy, the former captain-general of Cuba said: "Autonomy in Cuba would be most unfortunate for national industry. The riches of Cuba belong to Spain, and autonomy means the disappearance of Spanish workmen and complete misery throughout the island. There is as much reason for Catalonia, the Balearic Islands and the other provinces to ask for autonomy as Cuba."

It is understood in Barcelona that Gen. Weyler will hold aloof from the Carlists and Republicans, but he desires to pose as the champlon of "national production," aims at reorganizing the Conservative party, and in order to realize his protectionist ideal he will vigorously oppose the granting of tariff autonomy to Cuba.

A DIFFERENT STORY.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] MADRID, Nov. 23 .- The official repor of the landing of Gen. Weyler at Bar celona differs from the independent re ceiona differs from the independent reports. The former says the general ianded without the demonstration in his honor assuming the proportions anticipated, and that as he traversed the streets the public appeared indifferent.

Continuing, the official version of the affair adds that six gala carriages awaited the general, but that the crowd was small; that little enthusiasm were decorated.

THE TARIFF QUESTION

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] MADRID, Nov. 23.—The Imparcial they were today strongly opposes the granting of tariff autonomy to Cuba, declaring that unless Spanish products are admitted to that island on preferential eral purse.

terms geographical conditions will compel the peninsula to renounce the Cuban market. El Liberal strongly supports the proposition to give Cuba an autonomous tariff, and publishes documents tending to show that all the Cubans, even the Spanish colonists, desire autonomy.

WANTS NATURALIZATION.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

Sagasta Will not Give

Up Autonomy.

Cabinet Believes it the Only
Peaceful Solution.

Weyler Greeted at Barcelona
With Enthusiasm.

MONEY FOR RELIEF.

Blanco Authorised to Expend a Hundred Thousand Dollars. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] HAVANA, Nov. 23.—[By Central Anerican Cable.] Marshal Blanco, the captain-general of Cuba, has been authrized by the government at Madrid to sign a credit of \$100,000 to be devoted to the immediate relief of the suffiring peasants who have been gathered in the vicinity of the towns occu-pied by the Spanish troops.

APE/TEGUIA'S FOLLOWERS DIS-GRUNTLED. [ASOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HA'ANA, Nov. 23.—The statements creditd to the Marquis of Apezteguia, leader of the Conservative party in Cuba, a interviews in New York, while on his way from Spain via that city, are prolucing displeasure among the followen of the Marquis here, particularly is remarks to the effect that Gen. We'ler did not deserve the abuse or criticim he has received, etc.

Such a egations, coming from a Conservative leader who is credited with having bought about the recall of Gen. We'ler from Cuba, are resented and classed as being on a par with the utterances and behavior of those who are taking part in the demonstrations HA'ANA, Nov. 23.-The statements

are taking part in the demonstration in honor othe former captain-general of this islad. As a result, it is believed that an open rupture between the Conservatives and the Marquis will follow his rturn here.

#### FOUR TIOUSAND MILES.

OLD RMY SOLDIER.

Daniel McConell Comes to th Coast from Westport, N. Y., to Get the Baking of His Captain for a Penson-Applies to the City Prison or Food and Shelter.

[BY DIRECT WIE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISO, Nov. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch After a 4000-mile tramp from Wesport, Essex county N. Y., to San Fancisco, Daniel Mc-Connell, aged 65/ears, ill and infirm but hopeful, lies it the City Prison as the city's ward while walting for tardy recognition of his claims by the United States goarnment.

At the first calfor volunteers at the opening of the vil war, McConnell volunteered as a private in Co. A, Ninety-sixth Ne York Volunteers, under command (Capt. George Hines. Capt. Hines is rw a resident of San Francisco and sides at the Hotel Oliver. After hidischarge from the army McConnell eturned to his farm in Essex county nd lived there, acquiring a competey, which he en-joyed until, throth the reverses of fortune, he was enpelled to apply for a pension, basingsis claims upon inturies received tring his term of service. He prested the necessary proof, as he belied, but was again and again confroed by informalities in the evidence at technical objections. He at lastetermined that the testimony of his otain was necessary to a successful ise of his claim.

Accordingly he rote to Capt. Hines of this city, but he latter answered saying he could n make the required affidavits withou having seen the affidavits withou having seen the claimant and hav't questioned him in order to assure hiself as to his identity. McConnell we without means to pay railroad travibut a few charitable acquaintanceprovided him with an outfit for the surney afoot, and he started on a primage across the continent that end here last Thursday. Two days iter he had seen Capt. Hines, who eadily recognized him and consenteto make the required documents) perfect the pension. McConnell's ig tramp across the country having eed thus successfully, overtaxed nure asserted itself and the old man, irn out, ill, unable to work or to obth the scanty food necessary to presse life, applied at the city prison toght for food and shelter.

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Of his journey soss the continent he said: "I walkemost of the way. Occasionally some e would give me a lift. Now and the would be taken on a freight car I some brakeman or conductor, but if the most part I hoofed it. I couldot do hard work on account of injus received during the war, so I couldot earn much on the way. I have be over six months making the journe it will be some time before my pers arrive from Washington, but I pe to return to my home with moy received from the pension."

#### HE BACKO OUT. Plucky Engineelaves His Train

[ASSOCIATED PRESSGHT REPORT.]

DUBLIN (Tex.,) w. 23.—An at-tempt was made to b a west bound passenger train on he Rio Grande Railroad at 4 o'clo this morning, Railroad at 4 o'clo this morning, about three miles w of Dublin. As the train rounded a we approaching a deep cut the enger observed a pile of rock on the trk in the middle of the cut. He reved his engine, stopping the train wia joit, and almost instantly had htrain in motion again, backing towarhis place.

The engineer's acti was so quick that the robbers wereable to board the train, but as the in backed out of the trap they open fire upon the locomotive. The engir and fireman crouched behind the br to avoid the bullets. There were frobbers, and they were not masked when officers had reached the scenee robbers had disappeared. The pasigers on the train rewarded the enger with a liberal purse.

### Alger Offers to Furnish the Money.

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Asks the Treasury if it Has Funds for Ads.

Prefers to Do His Business in San Francisco Newspapers—But Does not Think it Would Be Dignified if Done Gratis.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.-[Exclusive Dispatch.l Gen. Alger, Secretary of War, now asserts that he is thinking of permitting the San Pedro breakwater dvertisements to be published in San Francisco papers, even if he has to advance the money to pay for the ad vertisements himself. Some of the San Francisco papers have agreed to do the advertising without cost, but the Secretary feels it would not be a dignified performance for the War Depart nent to accept their offer gratis.

He has now addressed a formal leter to the Treasury Department, asking if there is any money to pay for this service. If not, he says he will personally advance the government the money, which is only another way of saying that he has again changed his mind about the breakwater, and is trying to get out of his former position as best he can.

HAS ASKED ADVICE. Alger Carried His Troubles to An-

other Authority.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Secretary Alger, in reply to a question as to what course he intended to pursue in the matter of advertising for proposals for construction of the breakwater in San Pedro Harbor, said he had re-ceived many telegrams from proprietors of newspapers and others offer ing to publish the advertisements gratuitously if it should be found that there is no appropriation available for this purpose. But as the law does not permit of the acceptance of gratuitous service, he has asked the Comptroller of the Treasury whether there can't find with which the advertise. s any fund with which the advertisng could be paid for.

Judge Gary to Preside.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Judge Gary, who presided at the trial of the Haymarket anarchists, will occupy the bench at the second trial of Adolf Luetgert, the alleged wife-murderer, Luetgert, the alleged wife-murderer, provided the venerable jurist does not consider it too severe for his advanced years. Luetgert appeared before Judge Horton today and signed an affidavit in which he stated that both Judge Horton and Judge Baker were prejudiced against him.

#### ANTI-FUSION POPS. Meeting of the National Organiz

tion Committee at St. Louis. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.-The National Organization Committee of the Populist party, representing the "middle-of-the-roaders," who opposed fusion with the Democrats at the last Presidential election, met here today. Twenty-nine States are represented. Among those present are Gen. Jacob S. Coxey of Ohio; Chairman Milton Park of Texas;

Ohio; Chairman Milton Park of Texas; Secretary W. S. Morgan of Arkansas; Secretary W. S. Morgan of Arkansas; Dr. Braddon B. Crowe of Alabama, treasurer, and Wharton Barker of Philadelphia, editor of the American. Chairman Parks said that the purpose of the meeting was to determine their future course. "We are opposed to fusion with anybody or anything," he continued, "and we want a straight fight if we can get it. The mission of the National Organization Committee appointed at the Memphis meeting of the National Reform Press Association last winter is not to supercede the People's Party National Committee, but to assist it. I recently wrote Chairman Marion Butler tendering what assistance I could. We are still willing to coöperate with Mr. Butler if he desires it. If he does not, our course will soon be determined."

#### CORNER ON NUTS.

FRENCH SPECULATORS WANT TO GET HOLD OF THEM.

Attempt to Corner the Prune Market-Competition With Call

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.-[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Journal of Commerce says that trade in nuts to the present time has been devoid of incident ex-cept for the attempt reported from France to corner the market on the new crop of Grenoble walnuts by spec ulators who several years ago obtained much notoriety by getting control of the French prune market, in which venture it is understood a considerable amount was lost by exporters and operators, as the demand from the United States, which was counted upon, did not materialize, and conti-nental buyers made up their wants by purchasing California and Oregon

As it is in prunes, so it is said to be in walnuts, though in this case foreign markets were not invaded by Califor nia. However, trade in walnuts in the United States has been reduced this season, because the West and Middle West have turned to California for supplies and obtained them in full quantity, and the quality, though claimed by some to be below that of imported goods, seems to have satis-led consumers.

In almonds in the shell, competition between the imported and California nuts does not seem to have resulted so favorably for the latter, although the demand for California goods in interior markets has, according to the re-port, greatly increased.

Large-sized Mortgage.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Papers were filed today in a suit brought by the New York Life Insurance Company against Oscar Hammerstein, Lewis J. Phillips and others to foreclose a mortgage of \$1,000,000, held by the plaintiff upon the Olympia Music Hall. The life insurance company alleges that Hammerstein has defaulted in the payment of \$14,842 interest now due. Hammerstein has defaulted in the payment of \$14,842 interest now due. Hammerstein has defaulted in the payment of \$14,842 interest now due. Hammerstein has detailted in the payment of \$14,842 interest now due. Hammerstein has already paid \$19,819 as interest on this mortgage.

## Points of the News in Today's Times.

General Associated Press night report, received since dark yesterday . . 77 Exclusive Times dispatches (night,) received since dark yesterday.... 7 1.100

ciated Press day report, received before dark yesterday ......... 78 185 The whole equivalent to about 20 columns.

Evidence against the school department blackmailers .... Attorney in the Bird case abuses the prosecuting wit- He speaks of relief measures for Klonness....Plot to assist a prisoner to es- dike miners....Alleged confession of cape .... Railroad company exempted from taxation by the Assessor .... Another man takes a shot at Abbott.... plans for an armor factory....Presi-Barber Smith's remarkable affection for a mother-in-law....Capture of the completed....Chinese league visæscapes punishment....Bogus Mexican bond deal....Boxers at Athletic Club .... Attempted highway robbery.

Southern California-Page 11. Ojai railroad grade nearly completed....Sugar-beet contracts signed Congressman elected at Chicago... in Ventura....Damage suit against the Trial of Capt. Lovering continued-Chino Sugar Company....Wild man Hammond gives testimony...The Thorn from Mexico arrested in Riverside .... trial begins. Redlands orange traffic delayed by lack By Cable-Pages 1, 2. of freight cars .... Sports in Santa Barin Pasadena....Bids invited for a part and is given an alleged ovation....Fireof Santa Monica's sewer system... works' explosion at Berlin....Countess Railroad planned from San Diego to Yuma.

Pacific Coast-Pages 1, 3,

Customhouse employés suspended. Howard Griffin of Los Angeles returns to Seattle disgusted with the Copper River country....The Alert brings news of the Guatemala rebellion....San José grand jury makes report....Steamers don, Washington, Albany, N. Y.; King-Dora and Alice Blanchard bring news man, Kan.; Chicago, San Francisco. from Alaska.... Two alleged kidnapers Aspen, Colo.; Denver, New York and released at Susanville ... F. M. Mc- other places. Kean of Portland embezzles \$10,000. An English ship's mate .goes insane. Two boys reported chained at Ione. Drowning at San Francisco ... Military for San Diego....Oakland's waterrates to Chicago....Napa ball team and bonds....Available supplies of beaten by the Baltímores....An old grain....Treasury statement....Small soldier walks 4000 miles to San Fran-business in the Chicago wheat pit, Foreign markets....Coast produc

General Eastern-Pages 1, 2, 3. Secretary Alger now offers to pay for advertising if there are no funds-Joseph E. Blanther found at Meridian.

Tex., saying he killed Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams .... Naval Board's dent McKinley's message practically alleged Downey ravisher....Poker Da- to demand suffrage....Sale of thoroughbred stock at Lexington....Uncle Sam's naval militia and women em ployés....Bryan kicks at football-So do university trustees....French speculators trying to corner nuts.... A piano trust being organized .... Republican

Premier Sagasta says the Cabinet will not abandon the autonomy projbara....Liquor-sellers caught and fined ect....Weyler arrives at Barcelons Santa Ana will issue sewer bonds.... of Lotham thrown from her trap and Lightning contract let at San Diego.... killed....Notes from Havana....British troops put the slaver prince to flight. Ex-King Milan seeks a divorce.. Dense fog in England....The Uruguayan controversy .... Two German

> At Large-Pages 1, 2, 3. Dispatches were also received from Grand Rapids, Mich.; Cincinnati, Lon-

Financial and Commercial-Page 10. good in the Chicago cattle market. Net gain in stocks on New York tary for San Diego....Carlaines to be front case....Prince Poniatowski to be sued on his railroad grading....Cheap Nana ball team Oil, silver, dried fruit, money stocks and bonds....Available supplies of Small

## TIMELY PAPER

### **AllegedConfessionWhich** Helps Durrant.

One Pitts Has a Letter from Joseph E. Blanther,

Claimed He Was the Emanuel Church Murderer.

The Document Turns Up at Meridian, Tex.—Was Placed in His Fel-low-prisoner's Cont by the Slayer of Mrs. Langfeldt.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HOUSTON (Tex.,) Nov. 23.-A special to the Post from Morgan, Tex., says:
"Joseph E. Blanther, alias Forbes, committed suicide in the Meridian jail in this county on March 2 last. Developments of the last few days bring to light the fact that Blanther was the self-confessed perpetrator of even more startling crimes than was the murder of Mrs. Langfeldt in San Francisco, for

which he was hunted.
"While Blanther was incarcerated in the Meridian jail there was also a fellow-prisoner named Pitts, who was arrested on some minor charge and oc-cupied the cell adjoining that of Blanther. Pitts is a farmer who now lives near Iredell, in this county, and is known to have conversed with Blanther during his two or three days of confinement. In a letter to Word, Dillar & Word, attorneys of Meridian, under date of November 22, Pitts In-closes a letter from Blanther and says: "I have been looking through some papers that I had on file in the jail at Meridian, and I find the inclosed sheet, which speaks for itself. The papers alluded to here worked through a hole in my pocket, hence the delay in not discovering them sooner. I now re-member that Forbes, or Blanther, asked me on the evening he took the polson which coat was mine of several that were hanging in the cell he occupied. I never thought further of the ques-tion he asked until I found the letter he wrote. I send it to you for the reason that you know who to notify in California. I hope that may be worth something to you in the way of saving Durrant of California, who, I under-stand, is sentenced to death for killing

Miss Lamont.' Miss Lamont."
"Following is the Blanther letter:
"Meridian jail. To Mr. Pitts: As this is my last day on earth, I wish to say that I cannot die without telling a truth. I murdered Mrs. Langfeldt, also Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams. I put this in your coat pocket and hope you will find it in time. and hope you will find it in time to save the life of Durrant. It may also be of service to Mr. Womack in getting his reward money. I want you to have my watch for your kindness to me. You have my best wishes, and I hope your troubles will end, but not as mine. [Signed] "BLANTHER FORBES."

"The letter written by Blanther was compared with a letter written by him to County Treasurer Randle while he to County Treasurer Randle while he (Blanther) was teaching school at Koppert, this county, and the identification is pronounced to be beyond doubt. Cashier Rudasill of the First National Bank of Meridian says it compares favorably with Blanther's handwriting, while others have hesitancy in pronouncing the document as tancy in pronouncing the document as written by Blanther. The written confession is now in the pos-session of Word, Dillard & Word of eridian, who will notify the San 25,780 Francisco officials of the startling con-

CHIEF LEES SETTLES IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When shown the dispatch about Blanther last night, Chief Lees said the statements contained in it were too absurd for consideration In his investigation of the record of Blanther, he had ascertained beyond doubt that Blanther could not have been in this city at the time of Emanuel Church murders, for the good reason that he was in business in Georgia. Blanther, he said, was here in 1887, after he had fled in disgrace from Siam, but only remained a few weeks, and did not return until February 26, 1896 ruary 26, 1896.

NOT CREDITED.

The Suggestion That Blanther Committed the Murders is Old [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23. - No credence is placed by the authorities here in the alleged confession of Blanther or Forbes, made in jail at Meridian before his suicide, to the effect that he had murdered Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams in addi-tion to Mrs. Langfeldt. It is recalled, however, that at the time of the killing of Mrs. Langfeldt, about eighteen months ago, the suggestion was advanced that Blanther had murdered all three, it being claimed that there were pertain points of similarity in the three

Durrant had already been in jail for a year, and the police scouted at the idea of any one but the prisoner hav-ing committed the crimes. The police are confident that the Emanuel-church murderer is still alive, and in San Quen-tin prison. While recognizing the pos-sibility of error, the authorities are, nevertheless, convinced that they have the right man in the person of Durrant. The alleged confession of Blanther will probably prove a powerful weapon of defense in the hands of Durrant's attorneys, who are utilizing every available pretext for delaying the execution of their client.

Smuggler Fire Out.

ASPEN (Colo.,) Nov. 23.—The Smug-gler mine fire is out, and the work of clearing the workings, preparatory to breaking ore, will be begun this afternoon.

### NOT A NICE PLACE.

HOWARD GRIFFIN RETURNS FROM COPPER RIVER,

Los Angeles Gold-hunter Looks Over the Country from the Steamer's Deck and Turns His Back,

TROUBLE WITH HIS PARTNERS.

THOSE WHO REMAINED WAIT FOR SOMETHING TO TURN UP.

Coloradoans Incorporate With East-ern Capital Almost Unlimited. Have Prospectors and Labor-ers on the Ground.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] ENTRICE WASH...) Nov. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A view of Copper River from the deck of the steamer Alice Blanchard was all that Howard Griffin of Los Angeles needed to assure himself that a closer acquaintance with the country was not desirable, with the country was not desirable, and when the vessel returned here to-day he was aboard. The rest of the Blanchard's fifty-seven passengers would have come back with but little

persuasion.
Griffin went to the Copper River on a grub stake from his father, a wealthy lumberman, who sent with him two prospectors. Before the Blanchard left here, October 31, Griffin had a quarrel with his companions, and the quarrel with his companions, and the ill-feeling was aggravated during the voyage to Orca. Upon the arrival at Orca, the only place to dock the vessel was a cannery wharf, behind which rose a precipitous bluff. Once ashore the passengers could not go fifty yards in any direction without wings or a boat. There was no shelter for either men or outfits.

The impossibility of getting up the Copper River by boat was soon mani-fest to all. The Pacific Steam Whaling fest to all. The Pacific Steam whaling Company's steamer took several to Port Valdes, a short distance, charging \$10 a head passage. The others decided to camp near Orca until the river should freeze. Griffin, having another quarrel with his partners, remained on the Blanchard and left with her Notangher.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.,) Nov. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The bleak uninviting aspect of the country at the mouth of Copper River, Alaska, was a com-plete discouragement to the passen-gers of the steamer Alice Ranchard and while but one returned on the

plete discouragement to the passengers of the steamer Alice Rianchard, and while but one returned on the steamer, which arrived here today, it would have taken but little persuasion to have brought back the whole party. The view from the steamer's deck at Orca was all that Howard Griffin, son of the millionaire lumber man of Los Angeles, hieeded. What he expected to find is hard to imagine, since the extremely forbidding nature of the region drained by the Copper River has been described many times. Blanchard left here October 31, with fifty-seven passengers for Copper River, all of them from Los Angeles and San Francisco. According to Blanchard's officer, there was reason to protest against dockage facilities at Orca. The cannery where the boat first tried to land her freight and passengers sits at the face of a high bluff. Once on dock, one cannot go more than fifty yards in any direction without a boat. dock, one cannot go more than fifty yards in any direction without a boat. The landing is hemmed in on all sides by bluffs ad water.

After much difficulty a landing of part of the passengers was made and the Pacific Steam Whaling Company

the Pacific Stesm Whaling Company charged part of the passengers \$10 each to take them to Fort Valdez, a short distance for such a price.

The remainder of the passengers were landed at the cannery of the Alaska Packing Association, where they were allowed to camp out in the warehouse. Back a few rods the Indians were skating on the ice, which was a foot thick. It is believed that the party will be obliged to stay there all winter, though they are planning to go up the river on the ice.

#### COLORADO INCORPORATORS, Unlimited Eastern Capital Back of a

Copper-river Enterprise. TASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT 1

DENVER, Nov. 23 .- The first company of Colorado men who will explore and settle the Copper-river country in Alaska filed articles of incorporation today. The name of the company is Copper River Alaska Gold Mining and Improvement Company, and the incorporators are Edward J. Parsons, S. M. Rigg and Orlando J. Hosford. Unlimited capital, which eastern peo-ple have put up, is said to be back of the corporation. In the papers the obthe corporation. In the papers the ob-jects of the company are stated as the exploration and development of gold and silver mines and placer claims along Copper River, mining for lead, copper, coal and iron; the building of reduction plants and concentratio works; construction of railroads, ga works; construction or railroads, gas and electric plants, street railways, etc. It is understood that the company has a force of prospectors and advance men on the ground, and will send a large delegation of miners and workmen in the spring to carry out the various plans outlined. The capitalization is \$100,000.

SCHOONERS FROM BOSTON.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Two schooners BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Two schooners left this port today bound for the Klondike. The Nellie Colwan, which carries two passengers, who take her owner, A. E. Claffin, aboard when she reaches Seattle. The Stowell Sherman has twelve passengers, who constitute a cooperative organization.

#### PROVISIONS FOR DAWSON.

Secretary Alger Says He Will Work With Premier Laurier, [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

to attend the annual banquet of the formulated. Chamber of Commerce, said in an intorview that he favored a change in the dury imposed by the Diugley ta-ER law on white pine imported from Canada. He thought the rate of \$2 a

Canada. He thought the rate of \$2 a thousand feet, as at present, is expessive. Speaking of the plans for the relief of the Klondike miners in case of a famine, Gen. Alger said:

'I met Sir Wilfred Laurier while he was in Washinton and wa had a talk in regard to the Yukon country. We agreed to work together if it becomes necessary to send relief to the people in that frozen region, who are seeking gold. The cooperation of Canada being assured, I believe that we could manage to get provisions to Dawson City in some way before the summer opens the Yukon River.

Yukon River.

Capt. Rea. who represents the War
Department, has gone to Alaska to
report, but just where he is. I cannot
say. Heileft St. Michaels August 29,
and in the middle of September, I

heard from him at Fort Yukon, about 1300 miles up the Yukon River and 500 miles from Dawson. The Yukon River is frozen, and it is not easy to travel on the rough ice. Therefore, to send relief in midwinter by that route is not

on the rough ice. Therefore, to send relief in midwinter by that route is not practicable.

"The Government has about 1100 reindeer in Alaska, but they are scattered. Mr Bliss, Secretary of the Interior, has placed at the disposal of the War Department 100 reindeer that are within 100 miles of St. Michaels. It is just possible that with the reindeer and the aid of Indians, a small expedition might be sent by this route.

"My idea is, however, that in March acypedition will be sent over the Chilcoot Pass by the Dalton trail. There are provisions in plenty at St. Michaels. The last I heard was that five or six thousand tons of provisions were there, and as steamships ply between there and San Francisco, the danger of starvation is not great."

"Do you think Alaska should be made a Territory?"

"I do, because by next summer I think from one to two hundred thousand people will be in the Yukon country. My idea is that two Territories should be made, and the Yukon country should be one of them. A Territorial form of government would be much better than the present method of governing Alaska, in my opinion. The State of Nevada has about 35,000 inhabitants, and the Yukon country alone will have three or four times that number next spring."

NOT VERY FLATTERING.

NOT VERY FLATTERING. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REFORT.)

SEATTLE, (Wash.) Nov 23.—The steamer Alice Blanchard, after an uneventful trip from Copper River, Alaska, arrived here this evening. The Blanchard had but one passenger, Howard Griffin of Los Angeles, who was a passenger on the upper run. The officers of the Blanchard do not bring a very flattering report of the condition at Orca. They say thus far no one has succeeded in ascending Copper River.

CAN'T GET UP RIVER.

Steamer Dora Brings News of the

Gold-hunters.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO. Nov. 23 .- Late this afternoon the Alaska Commercial Company's steamer Dora, Capt. An-derson, arrived from Sitka, from which port she sailed November 16. The Dora sailed from San Francisco March 9, and has since been engaged in carrying the mails from Sitka to Unalaska During August and September she car

During August and September she car-ried three loads of miners from Sitka to the point where the inland route to the Copper River begins. Capt. Anderson says that none of these men were able to get up the river on account of the early winter, and will be forced to winter at Un-alaska.

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Miners who left this city and Puget
Sound ports bound for the Copperriver country met with no better success than those who started for SitkaOf these, the latest to arrive on the
ground are the forty men who salled
from this port October 9 in the schooner
Phelps. The Phelps arrived at Unalaska November 1.

JOHN WANTS TO VOTE.

AMERICAN CHINESE DEMAND THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE.

Mass-meeting to Be Held at Chicago Saturday—Appeal Will Be Sent to Congress by the Equal Rights League—Wong Chin Foo Talks.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Americanized and native-born Chinese will appeal to Congress for the right of suffrage, and that body to repeal the Gary anti-Chinese law passed in 1882. A public mass meeting will be held at Central Music Hall next Saturday, and central Music Hall next Saturday, and prominent Chinese from all over the United States will address the meeting. They will declare that wrongs have been inflicted upon them since they have been refused the rights of citizenship, and will ack the citizenship, and will ack the citizenship. citizenship, and will ask the aid of the people of the United States to help them in their cause. This, it is said, will be the first time

This, it is said, will be the first time the Chinese have openly declared themselves. They have organized the Chinese Equal Rights League of America, with offices in this city. Wong Chin Foo is president of the organization. In an interview he said:
"We want in Illinois, the place that Lincoln, Grant and Logan called their home, to do for the Chinese what the North did for the negroes. Why should we not have a voice in municipal and national affairs like other foreigners? There are 50,000 Chinese in this country who are desirous of becoming citi-There are 50,000 Chinese in this country who are desirous of becoming citizens. In 1882 an outrageous law was passed by Congress. By that law the rights and liberties of nearly two hundred and fifty thousand lawful and industrious citizens were swept away. We will now ask Congress to restore

We will now ask Congress to restore to us the sovereign rights we once enjoyed, which are now held by every other race who come here.

'Those who wish to become voters have been living in this city from ten to forty years. Their financial and social interests are all here, and they have learned to love America better than they did the old country. They have acquired American habits, which have rendered their residence in China almost impossible. The situation has now come to a stage where we must ask for our rights."

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Following the meeting at Central Music Hall, meetings will be held over the United States. The Chinese Equal Rights League of America is incorporated. Among those who will address the meeting next Saturday are Wong Chin Foo, Wong Oek of Massachusetts, Sam Ping Lee of New York and Chin Loy of San Francisco.

#### PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

intional Conference to Discuss Uni-

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Through the efforts of the Civic Federation of Chicago, a national conference on primary lection legislation will be had in New York early in January. Last night Ralph Measley, secretary of the feder-ation, left for New York, where he will NEW YORK, Nov 23.—Secretary of War Alger, who came to town today and the call for the convention will be

It is the intention to secure concert of action on a uniform law in the va-rious States this winter, when the Leg-islatures of New York, New Jersey, Maryland, Ohio and Massachusetts

Maryland.

Maryland.

E. T. McMillin, chairman of the Political Action Committee of the federation, left for Springfield last night to ask Gov. Tanner to embrace in his call for a special session of the Legislature the subjects of primary elections and revenue reform.

Fireworks Explosion at Berlin. BERLIN, Nov. 23.—By an explosion in a fireworks factory at Schoenhauser-Allee today one man and two girls were killed, and seven other persons injured.

PORTING RECORD

### NAPA'S HOPE CHILLED

HOME TEAM WAS NOT IN IT WITH BALTIMORE.

Visitors in the First Inning and That Was All.

SEVENTEEN RUNS TO ONE.

THAT'S HOW THE SCORE STOOD AT THE CLOSE.

ale of Horses at New York-Re-Dr.Day on Football-Horse-show "Ringer"-Bill Boy Kicks the Pigskin.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NAPA, Nov. 23.-The largest crowd that ever witnessed a ball game in Napa today saw the defeat of the home team in the game between the Baltimores and the Alden and Levinsaltimores and the Alden and Levin-sons of Napa, by a score of 17 to 1. Napa succeeded in shutting the vis-itors out in the first inning and hope ran high in the Napa heart, but it soon chilled, and then turned to ad-

miration for the victors.

Rockefield struck out two of the Baltimores, and four of the home team were fanned out by Pond. The bat-teries were Pond and Donahue; Rocketeries were Pond and Donahue; Rocke-field and Larkin. The attendance was

CHANCELLOR DAY'S VIEWS. Football Teaches the Young Ameri cans Discipline and Self-control.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SYRACUSE (N. Y.,) Nov. 23.—Rev Dr. James R. Day, chancellor of Syra-cuse University, and a Methodist cler-

gyman, says in a public address:
"I believe that some such game as
football, which contains elements of roughness and danger, is necessary to the development of many young men in universities and seminaries. Its fu-

in universities and seminaries. Its future is tending toward a more open playing of the game. I do not like the hurling of one mass of humanity against another until one or the other becomes exhausted, but I do not feel like joining the universal outery against the game.

"American people are easily influenced into a general epidemic of reform, but I think that football has come to stay. It is encouraged by the faculty of Syracuse University. Football would fail of one of its chief features, in my estimation, if it did not teach the young man self-control. A man who goes through a season of being trodden upon and knocked down deserves fairly a diploma in the art of self-control. It is valuable discipline."

As to the theater, the chancellor said: "I am told that many of the students attended the theater and listened to Mr. Jefferson. Now I am a parson and my privileges are restricted somewhat. I believe with the church in regard to the theater in general. I am sorry that anybody thinks it wrong to sae Joseph Jefferson. I believe that such men as he would redeem the stage from any doubtful characteristics."

These remarks were loudly applauded.

ILLINOIS REFORMERS [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.-Trustees CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Trustees of Northwestern University are considering the advisability of banishing football from that institution. James H. Raymond has introduced a resolution before the Executive Committee of the board effectually barring the game. It will come up for consideration at the next meeting, the first week in December. What action the trustees will take is hard to predict.

SALE OF THOROUGHBREDS. Chirty-two Head Bring Nearly

Twenty Thousand Dollars.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LEXINGTON (Ky.,) Nov. 23.—The sale of thoroughbreds under the auspices of the Gaston Company opened today with the consignment of Maj. B. M. Thomas, whose offering of thirty-two head realized \$19,700, an average of \$615.93. The other consignments consisted of breeding stock of varying merits.

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The following were the leading sales: Himyar, b. s., 22 years, by Alarm-Hira, E. S. Gardner, Jr., Avondale, Tenn., \$2500; Imp. Massetto, b. s., 9 years, by St. Simon-Lady Abbess, E. S. Gardner, Jr., \$5000; Alabama, blk. m., 5 years, by Himyar-Bandit, John Marr, \$1300; Jewell B., ch. m., 11 years, Imp. King-Ban Jewell, M. Young, \$1400; Lady Agnes, ch. m., 10 years, St. Blaise-Carita, M. Young, \$1500; Minnie Himyar, b. m., by Himyar-Mannie Gray, John Marr, \$1600; Quesal, b. m., by Himyar-Queen B., J. T. Carson, \$1100; Imp. Wagner, b. s., 15 years, by Imp. Prince Charlie-Duchess of Malfi, J. B. Viley, \$1900; Meta, b. m., 11 years, by Onadaga-Una, W. P. Norton, \$1650; Pocahontas, b. m., by Duke of Montrose-Helva, M. Young, \$875; Semper Fidele, b. m., by Longfellow-La Sylphide, Marcus Daly, \$1500.

Bauer & Co.'s horses in training were sold tonight.

Other horses sold are: Van Antwerp, br. c., by Imp. Esher, dam Reflection, W. H. Baker, New York, \$2100; Danforth, br. c., by Juke of Montrose, dam Bopeep, Julius Bauer, Chicago, \$2000; Nuto, ch. c., by Imp. Mazetto, dam Ann McCoy, W. H. Baker, New York, \$3500; Rowland, br. c., by Hindoo, dam, Imp. Ricochet, E. Easton, for an English buyer, \$8600; Tempo, ch. c., by Imp. Whistle Jacket, dam On the Lea, E. A. Tipton, Anaconda, Mont., \$700.

ANTE-THANKSGIVING CONDITIONS Stanford in High Spirits and Berke-

ley Full of Fire. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] - SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—High spirits, perfect confidence and a hos-pital list mark the Stanford camp at Congress Springs. The injuries are said to be slight, however, and all the men will be in fine fettle unless Jack

men will be in fine fettle unless Jack Rice's injury should develop complications, the slight attack of water on the knee, the result of play last week, being still a little troublesome. The last practice game before the Thussday match was played on the field at Congress Springs yesterday.

The team has worked hard ever since the men went to the mountains Friday. Signal practice and punting have been the order in the morning, and a hard fight against the second eleven in the afternoon. They have played a determined, dashing game, and the men are fast and snappy, and are in the play at all times.

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The hard and wearing games are also a thing of the past for the California eleven at Del Monte, and during the next few days before the Thanksgiving match light exercise and signal practice will be the training programme. The ten days at Monterey have not

been wasted. It is certain that California will place in the field an eleven much better fitted for a championship battle than that which struggled in vain a year ago. Physically the team is all that can be desired. The last two days showed great improvement. There was fire and dash in the last practice of California yesterday, and all are well satisfied with the conduct of the team on the field.

The sale of seats has already passed the \$10,000 mark, and there is every indication that the largest crowd ever collected at a football game in the West will witness the Thanksgiving game of 1897. Last night at a managerial meeting A. H. Harvey and W. D. Goodwin were selected as referee and umpire. They will alternate in halves. The linesmen have not been chosen.

A HORSE-SHOW "RINGER."

Royal Standard's Owner Must Return Prizes Won by Him. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.-Royal Standard, the grand champion coach stallion of the Chicago horse show, has been de-clared a "ringer," and his owners, Gra-ham Brand and the champing the cha ham Bros., of Claremont, Ont., have been ordered to return the trophies awarded by the judges. It has been found that the stallion is an imported half-bred not registered in America, and never can be because of the rulings and never can be because of the rulings of the American hackney stud book. The State board is at present withholding money won by Graham Bros. draft stallion, Young McQueen, and the hackney Courier until such trophies shall be returned. Secretary Garrard, after an inspection of the matter, said: "Royal Standard was a 'ringer,' and we have, from the evidence before us, no course open but to believe that the possibility of his exhibition was only secured through the connivance of an

ecured through the connivance of a fficial. When the matter is straight official. When the matter is straightened out, the horses that were placed next to Royal Standard by the judges will be awarded the prize premiums." The State board telegraphed to Dr. William Seward, secretary of the American Hackney Stud Book, asking if the horse was registered or was eligible to registry, but the reply came that he was not even eligible to entry, thus setting aside all doubts as to the facts in the case.

The stallions that will succeed Royal Standard in the championship classes are: Mark W. Dunham's Inre, in the class for stallions between 15.2 and 16 hands, and Perfection, from the same stable, who now takes his place as grand champion stallion of the show.

Free-silver Shouter Lifts the

Inflated Pigskin.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

COLUMBIA (Mo.,) Nov. 23.—William J. Bryan, late Presidential candidate, appeared in Columbia in an altogether new role. Bryan participated in his first game of football. Clad in a striped old-gold-and-black sweater, the erstwhile Presidential candidate appeared on the athletic field of the Missouri University and took part in the game. It was a practice game between the varsity and alumni teams and Bryan had been persuaded to go to the field by the college boys. Once on the field, it was suggested that the distinguished it was suggested that the distinguished guest take part in the game.

At the solicitation of Capt. Hill and Coach Young Bryan consented to kick off for the alumni. Capt. Hill offered the Nebraskan his sweater, which was pulled on, and amidst deafening college yells, Bryan strode out on the field. The ball was placed in position, and after a few rehearsals, Bryan planted his No. 10 fairly and equally under the sphere and the ball went. planted his No. 10 fairly and equally under the sphere and the ball went, sailing down the field for forty yards. Bryan retired to the side lines and watched the scrimmage, continuing to wear the sweater during the game. He was much impressed with the play, and said that while it was not played in his college days, he was certain that he would have been on a team had he been given a chance.

A MURDEROUS GAME. Baldwin University's Team Used Up

at Timn, O.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CLEVELAND (O.,) Nov. 23.—Bald-win University at Boca has a football sensation. The eleven went to Tiffin on Saturday and played the Tiffin team, and arrived home at midnight with ene of its mmbers seriously in-jured, and the others badly bruised and battered. They left one member at Tiffin, also, in a dangerous condi-tion. Capt. Reed has concussion of the brain, and is still unconscious. Full brain, and is still unconscious. Full back Young, coach for Baldwin, is suffering from injuries to the head, and was still delirious at last reports. The Baldwin men claim that the Tiffin team put in a "ringer" in the second half who, after throwing Reed second half who, after throwing Reed down, jumped on his head. He repeated the performance in the case of Young. Reed remained unconscious, and was carried to the train in that condition.

en the team was almost ready to When the team was almost ready to board the train. Young was missed. After a search of several hours he was found wandering about in an alley, out of his head. He was taken to a hos-pital in Tiffin, where he is now. A stop of five hours was made at Shelby, where Capt. Reed was attended by a physi-cian. The affair has created intense excitement.

Racing at Oakland.

Racing at Oskland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The weather was fine at Oakland and the track heavy. Results:

Six furlongs: Sweet William, 103 (H. Martin,) 2½ to 1, won; Lucky Star 102 (Stufflet,) 3 to 1, second; Alma (Clawson,) 2 to 1, third; time 1:16½. Charlle Boots, D. J. Tobin, Nervula, Senator Mahoney, Woodland Belle, Sleepy Jone, Coda, Fannie E., Diablita and Ricardo also ran.

One mile and one-eighth: Fort Augustus, 103 (Holmes,) 7 to 10, won; Mulberry, 112 (Morse,) 8 to 5, second; Don Daniel, 108 (Taylor,) 12 to 1, third; time 2:01½. Sir Phillip also ran.

Five and a half furlongs: Dr. Sharp, 105 (Piggott.) 3 to 1, won; Marplot, 105 (H. Martin.) 6 to 5, second; Sybaris, 100 (O'Donnell, 6 to 1, third; time 1:09½. Al Koran, Pongo, Espirando and Hermosa also ran.

Six furlongs: Col. Dan, 90 (Meaney,) 2 to 1, won; Spunwell, 95 (Clawson,) 5 to 1, second; Boanie Ione, 87 (Gray,) 25 to 1, third; time 1:16. Fly, Free Will, O'Gleeta, Soscol and Bernardillo also ran.

One mile and one-quarter: Little

Will, O'Gleeta, Soscol and Bernardillo also ran.
One mile and one-quarter: Little Cripple, 102 (Morse,) 2 to 1, won; Palomacita 92 (Meaney,) 5 to 1, second; Don Clarencio, 96 (Clawson,) 7 to 1, third; time 2:13. Heidelberg, Jay Wheeler, Masoero, Charlie Reif and Wawanona also ran.
Six furlongs: Montallade, 107 (Clawson,) 7 to 5, won; Zamar II, 109 (Conley,) 5 to 1, second: Lode Star. 100 (H. Martin,) 12 to 5, hird; time 1:17. Emma D., Lo Lo, Charles A., Floreanna, Judge Stouffer, Heritage and R. Q. Ban also ran.

Recing at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE (Md.,) Nov. 23.—Despite an exceedingly muddy and heavy track, good raging was the rule at Pimlico today. Results:

Five and one-half furlongs: Refide won, Elleen D. second, Ellerslee Belle third; time 1:14%.

Five furlongs: Ten Spot won, The Manxman second, Maud Adams third; time 1:04%.

The Ocean Club Handicap, one mile, Alberts won, Bromo second; time 0:45%.

Bix furlongs, two-year-olds, Babica

won, Handpress second, Lady Disdain third; time 1:17%. One mile: Wadsworth won, Knight of the Garter second, Alarum third; time 1:43%. Gentlemen Riders' Association cup, about three miles: Athlete won, Un-dine second, Calendar third; no time.

Trap Shooting at St. Louis

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ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—At the trapshooters' meeting today Rolla Reikes,
the Ohlo champion, led in the general
average with 88 per cent; Charles
Grimm of Clear Lake, Iowa, was second with 37; Fred Gilbert, the Iowa
champion, and T. A. R. Elliott, the
noted Kansas City expert, both shot
in poor form. They were tied for third
place in the general average with 86½
per cent. Frank Faurote of Dallas and
Charlie Budd, of Jowa tied for fourth
place, with 86 per cent.

Anti-Poolroom Movement. Anti-Poolroom Movement.

BACRAMENTO, Nov. 23.—Through
the efforts of Trustee Bently, a movement has been inaugurated to close up
the poolrooms in this city. The warrant
was issued for the arrest of Frank
Draux, a well-known politician, who is
interested in one of the principal poolrooms. Arrests have also been made
in Washington, Yolo county, across the
river from this city, to break up the
poolroom maintained there.

Palo Alto Horseflesh.

Flores Floored Farley. SANTA ROSA, Nov. 23.—In the presence of 700 people, Toney Flores, the San José pugllist, tonight defeated James Farley of this city in what was to have been a fifteen-round contest. Flores gave Farley his quietus in the fourth round.

THE NEXT FOUR YEARS

NATIONAL LIFE TO BE MODIFIED BY FINANCIAL LEGISLATION.

Gage Speaks at the New York Chamber of Commerce Dinner-Commits Himself to the Proposition That Our Currency Can Be Made Safe.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, Nov. 23.-The annual NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Into annual dinner of the New York Chamber of Commerce was given at Delmonico's new restaurant tonight. Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage was the guest of honor and the chief speaker. He spoke to the toast "Currency Reform; Now or When?" He said in part.

part:
"We are met just now with one of those problems which must be bravely faced and wisely solved. For four years its injurious shadow has depressed industry and enterprise. Thanks to the wise instincts of our people and to their declaratory voice uttered in November last, assurances come to lift doubts, to banish fears, to brace hope and to lend cour

age.
"This happy reaction in enterprise "This happy reaction in enterprise now witnessed—the stimulation to industry—which has followed this new assurance is a confirmatory evidence of the blighting influences of that fierce propaganda for 'free sliver,' and semi-repudiation that met its just rebuke from the freeman's ballot in 1896. Speaking briefly, I believe that the shape and destiny of our nationoal life, as it may be affected by financial legislation, is to'be determined within the next four years.

"Four years is a period so short in a people's history as to bar all idea of futurity, and to require in substitution the more immediate omnipresent now. The establishment of our currency and banking system upon more secure foundations is the one thing lacking to the things which make for a permanent condition of reasonable prosperity. In a word, I commit myself to the following proposition:
"At a cost too contemptible for se-

a word, I commit myself to the follow-ing proposition:
"At a cost too contemptible for se-rious consideration, the debatable con-dition of our currency and banking system may be put on clearly safe, if not theoretically scientific, foundations. This may be secured without any un-necessary contraction of the circulat-ing medium of exchange and threaten-ing undue expansion, and, least of all, ing medium of exchange and threatening undue expansion, and, least of all,
this desirable end may carry in its effect potential relief to those districts
in the South and Vest which, though
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"Nor will I permit myself to doubt that in the councils of our nation a wise statesmanship, supported and sustained by the wisdom and value of a superpresentation of the property and the state of the stat

pure patriotism among our people, will find the way to the much-needed

result."
Gov. Black, Gen. Merritt, Commodore Bunce, Mayor Strong and President Gilman of Johns Hopkins University, responded to toasts.

CHINA APPEALS.

Wants Russin to Oust Germany from Hantung Peninsula.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—According to Washington dispatch to the Herald China has appealed to Russia to ous Germany from her territory as the result of occupation by a German force of a part of the Hantung Peninsula. As the Russian legation in Peking is

in charge of the secretary, Count Can-dini, the Minister having been trans-ferred to Washington as the diplomatic representative of Russia, the negotia representative of Hussia, the negotia-tions on the subject are being con-ducted in St. Petersburg. It is hoped by the Chinese that the influence ex-erted by Russia, which prevented their rehabilitation of the Turkish navy, will be exercised upon Germany with equal success in the matter of her with-drawal from Chinese territory. Notwithstanding the efforts of the Chinese government to get Germany to Chinese government to get Germany t pame a date when she would withdra her forces, the German government hat taken no step in the matter, and the fear is expressed in eastern and Euro-pean diplomatic circles that her occu-pation, if not of a permanent charac-ter now is simply a preliminary to such

Sunday Closing at Ghent. WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Consul Morris at Ghent, Belgium, reports to the State Department that a movement is on foot in that civ to have all business houses voluntarily close at noon on Sunday instead of remaining open all day, as now. There is a possibility of success. A reason given for Sunday opening is that laborers have no opportunity of trading on other days.

Novak Will not Hang.

HARMONIOUS COMBINE. Efforts to Unite the Piano Firms of the Country.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The World says several attempts have been made during the past six years to bring the plano industry into line with other industries that have united. Alfred Dodge was the prime mover in form-ing its plans. He has spent years ing its plans. He has spent years working up the details of his project. Among the firms which, it is hoped, will become a part of the organization are these: Steinway & Sons, Sohmer & Co., Haselton Bros., Alfred Dodge & Son, Weber-Wheelock Company, Strauch & Co., Spies Plano Manufacturing Company, Wessels, Nickel & Cross, Haines Bros., Grakaur Bros., Pease Plano Company, Decker Sons, Jacob Doll, Weser Bros., Behr Bros., J. and C. Fischer, Davenport & Treacy Company, Roth & Englehart Company, Kroeger Plano Company, the Chickering, Knabe and Cottage Companies.

Chickering, Knabe and Cottage Companies.

The Steinway, Chickering, Knabe, Kimball and Cable (Chicago Cottage) companies will, it is expected, be the promoters, with the supply house of Alfred Dedge for the backbone of the organization. The organization will have branch houses in New York, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, Denver, San Francisco, and in a few other large cities. Great savings are expected.

On the output of one hundred thousand planos (a good year's production) the saving in advertising alone would amount to from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000. A still greater saving is expected from the concentration in a few factories in the great cities of the work now done in a hundred factories situated all over the country.

he country.
NOT YET IMPORTANT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Several plan manufacturers today confirmed the reports which have been circulated to the effect that an attempt is being made to consolidate the large manufactories in this country. N. Stetson of Steinway & Sons, William Knabe and other leading manufacturers said that the importance of the movement was not so great as the reports had indicated. Up to the present time, they said, their firm had not been approached. The organizers, it was said, are Alfred Delge of this city and W. W. Kimball of Chicago. nanufacturers today confirmed the re-

The Rome correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle says the report is confirmed that the powers have decided to blockade Constantinople, in case Turkey refuses to withdraw her troops from Crete and to accept a European governor of the island.

"NUMBER FOUR CHESTNUT."

Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont Has Dyed the
Hair of Her Head.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Those who know Mrs. Oliver Dispatch.] Those who know Mrs. Oliver Hazard Perry Belmont, form-rly Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, have discovered a marked change in her appearance. She looks ten years younger than she did months ago, and the resemblance between her and her daughter, the Duchess of Mariborough, is stronger than ever.

ever. Mrs. Belmont has died her hair. It used to be raven black. That was—well, several years ago. Now she has hair of the color which is known in the trade as "No. 4 chestnut," a sort of reddish brown.

NECK IN A ROPE.

Outrageous Treatment of an Ameri-

ean in Colombia.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—George W.

[ASSOCIATED PRISS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—George W.
Schiffer, who arrived here today on the Alian Line steamer Adirondack frm Port Limon, tells a story of alleged outrage that may call for interference by the Washington authorities. Schiffer is an American citizen, and a resident of Buffalo, N. Y. He was superintendent of the gold mine of the Puma Mining Company at Peonda, in the United States of Colombia.

Schiffer said that through ignorance of the customs of the country he failed to turn in a certificate of the quantity of liquors sold at the mining company's store. For this offense, he says, nine armed soldiers entered his house in the middle of the night and attempted to drag him to Jail. He resisted, and kept them at bay until morning. Subsequently Schiffer says he was dragged slowly in the fierce sun by the longest route to the courthouse at Victoria, twenty-five miles distant from Peonda. A rope was tied around his neck, and he was jerked at, insulted and otherwise ill-treated by the natives.

Schiffer after his release, instituted with the United States Minister a suit for \$25,000 damages against the Colombian government.

URUGUAY'S CONTROVERSY. Opposition to Cuestas-Latter Urged

to Make Himself Dictator.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
MONTEVIDEO, Nov. 23.—[By South American Cable.] The Herrerista party has issued a manifesto proposing ex-President Gomensori as a candidate for the Presidency in opposition to the late President Borda. The adherents of Señor Cuestas, the President ad interim, formerly president of the Senate, are urging him to overthrow the Senate and proclaim himself dictator.

MISCELLANEOUS-



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720 Westlake Avenue. J. B. DUKE, Proprietor, Telephone Black 346. VINTON (Iowa,) Nov. 23.—The jury in the case of Frank Novak, charged with killing his room-mate Murray and afterward setting fire to the house in which they lived, tonight returned a verdict of murder in the second degree. Novak disappeared after the crime was committed and eluded arrest for several years. Last summer he was arrested in the Klondike gold-fields.

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[COAST RECORD.]

CUSTOMHOUSE STIR.

TWO DEPUTY COLLECTORS AND A CLERK SUSPENDED.

Blamed for Giving Testimony That Damaged the Government's Case Against Welburn,

THRASHER THRASHING 'ROUND

POLITICAL SPITE.

Mate of an English Ship Insane Two Alleged Kidnapers Released. Portland Book-keeper Arrested. Ferry Hall Burned.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.-Revenue Collector Lynch received orders from Washington today to suspend, pending official investigation, Deputy Collector J. H. Zemansky, Deputy Collector E. F. Lennon and Clerk Alice Davidson. The first two named are Democrats, and Miss Davidson holds her appoint ment from a Democratic administra-tion. The investigation ordered will be in relation to their conduct as witnesses in the Welburn case. Today the United States District Attorney handed Collector Lynch a certified copy of the testimony in the case prepared by or-der of the Treasury Department for collector's information in the in-

Special Agent L. A. Thrasher of the Treasury Department will say nothing of the case, but it is known that the investigation is at his instigation. He was much disappointed at the failure to convict Welburn, and decided that some of those who rebutted govern-ment testimony should suffer. All the clerks in the revenue office gave practically the same testimony as the suspended employés, but Thrasher se-lected for punishment only those whom he considered the most to blame. Zemansky said today: "It is a piece

of injustice due, of course, to political spite. We were involuntary witnesses or injustice. We were involuntary witnesses in the Welburn case, and sworn to tell the truth. We did tell the truth, all of the clerks in the office testifying to the same thing. Thrasher made up his mind that somebody must suffer, and, of course, Democrats were selected as objects of his wrath. We have ten days in which to answer these charges, under the provision of a circular just

days in which to answer these charges, under the provision of a circular just issued by the Treasury Department. We shall claim that the charge of rebutting government testimony is without foundation."

Asked if he expected dismissal, Zemansky said: "One never knows what may happen. This man Thrasher is very strong at headquarters; but the collector's recommendations in the matter will have a great deal of weight. Mr. Lynch said to me, and to the others implicated in this charge, sooh after the trial in question, that, in his opinion, none of us had given any improper testimony. I know that he is satisfied with us, and has no personal feeling in the matter."

THE IONE SCANDAL.

Two Boys Reported to Be Chained

to a Post.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SACRAMENTO, Nov. 23 .- Mai. R M. Blair, military instructor and Harry R. Bernard, until recently the secretary at the Preston School of Industry at Ione, came down from that plac this afternoon. Maj. Blair was sus-pended yesterday upon the order of Senator Preston, president of the board of trustees, for alleged insubor-

According to the story brought from the school, there are two boys confined in the tower—the prison of the school. It is said that they are hand-cuffed to an iron post and that their clothes have been nearly turn from them. It is been nearly torn from them. It is said that the two boys named Nick Sorrenti and Joe Rosi, had been severely punished by, or at the instance of Superintendent O'Brien, and that one of the boys had both his eyes

MOVING ALONG QUIETLY.

New Sensations.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SAN JOSE, Nov. 23.—The grand jury is proceeding today to close its business by preparing its final report. Grand Juror Carroll, who was scored by Judge Lorigan yesterday, was in attendance this morning. The final report may be made at any time now.

The District Attorney's

The District Attorney's office has not yet taken any proceeding against Carroll. Dist. Atty. Herrington himself is absent, and until he is communicated with or returns no action will be taken. This morning the deputies said they had no statement to make as to any probable course. Carroll keeps his own counsel, and is acting on the advice of his attorney. His friends are saying that at the proper time he will take the proper steps. Just what is or may be included in this is not stated.

Matters were very quiet about Judge Lorigan's court today, where some ordinary formal proceedings were in progress. The incidents of yesterday, however, are almost the sole topic of general conversation about the streets. is absent, and until he is communi-

THE JURY REPORTS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN JOSE, Nov. 23.—The Santa Clara county grand jury of 1897 filed its report late this afternoon, its end having apparently been hastened by yesterday's sensational proceedings, during which Juror T. W. Carroll was accused by Judge Lorigan of betraying the secrets of the jury-room, and was given a terrible scoring. Three reports were presented, one of which represented dens and lotteries run in this city in defiance of the law. In the majority report is a recommendation that the indictment against M. B. Williams, a former deputy tax collector, accused SAN JOSE, Nov. 23.-The Sants

jority report is a recommendation that the indictment against M. B. Williams, a former deputy tax collector, accused of embezzlement, be dismissed.

The first minority report objects to abolishing the office of game warden, declares that the Board of Supervisors has not been guilty of negligence in the individual opinion of Juror Carroll.

The majority recommends that the county establish its own waterworks; that the office of game warden be abolished, and that the Board of Supervisors, which body is accused of negligence in expending the immigration fund and praising the attention of city officials is called to dives, gambling, disbursing money from the immigration fund and praising the Board of Trade as being a body that has been of great benefit to the county.

Juror T. W. Carroll araigns the Supervisors and the District Attorney, accusing these officials of approving it legal claims against the county. It is

charged that Justices of the Peace J.
D. Beggs and I. Herrington have been paid for services for which William H. Dwyer, a justice of the peace, who was arrested for a petty offense and resigned to escape prosecution, had already drawn money from the county. It is further charged that hundreds of criminal complaints have been issued in the short space of a few days by justices courts and that many of the cases were never entered on the dockets. In conclusion, Carroll declares that the county has been assessed for trials of persons accused of violation of city ordinances.

GRADING NOT PAID FOR.

Prince Poniatowski Will Be Asked

to Pony Up.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Examiner says Prince Poniatowski will figure in a lawsuit for \$62,000 in a day or two. Delmas & Shortridge are preparing the papers on behalf of Charles Erickson of San Luis Obispo. A few days ago the Prince completed his Sierra Railroad, which runs from Oakdale on the Southern Pacific in Stanis-laus county, a distance of forty-two miles. T. S. Bullock, a New York broker and contractor, and his brother-in-law, Freshman of Chicago, are Poniatowski's partners in the enter-prise.

Prise.

Erickson took the grading contract for \$90,000. He has received so far but \$20,000 of the full amount. Recently he demanded a settlement in full from Poniatowski and Bullock, and was surprised when they offered him \$10,000 provided he would give them a receipt in full. A war of words ensued, and Erickson immediately arranged to have a mechanic's lien for \$62,000 filed on the road in both Tuolumne and Stanislaus counties. These liens were filed today as a preliminary step to the suit for \$62,000.

Erickson's suit is likely to make pub lic some interesting facts concerning the railroad. His grading contract was not with the Sierra Railroad Company. He contracted with the West Coast Construction Company. The latter corporation is composed of the Prince, Bullock and Freshman, and

latter corporation is composed of the Prince, Bullock and Freshman, and they contracted with themselves as members of the Sierra Rallroad Company to build the road. They then sublet the grading to Erickson. There has never been much ready money in the scheme, but the three interested gentlemen expect to realize a handsome sum out of their enterprise by ultimately selling \$800,000 worth of bonds that the road is to issue. It is to be bonded for about \$20,000 a mile. Bullock, it is said, has made a fortune in many similar enterprises. He got Prince Poniatowski interested in the Jamestown scheme about a year ago. He had some bad luck with a railroad he built down in Arizona, so he tore up the track and brought the material to California. Bullock wanted to build out of Merced into the Yosemite Valley when he first came here, but that scheme failing, he tried to get Stockton capitalists interested with him in building from that city eastward to the mines. That proposition also petered out, and then Poniatowski Joined him in the enterprise out from Oakdale. It is said that not over \$70,000 in cash has been put in the road so far.

RAIN IS NEEDED.

Weather Bureau's Summary of the Temperature and Crops.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Weather Bureau's summary of the crop conditions throughout the State for the week ending November 22, follows: The week has been warmer than usual for this time of the year in all portions of the State except the Sacraportions of the State except the Sacra-mento Valley. In the southern part of the State the temperature has been decidedly above the normal. No rain has fallen in the southern districts, but in the extreme northern portion the rainfall has been large and well dis-tributed. More rain is needed for farming operations in the central and southern portions.

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The general cry of the farmers is for more rain. In the Sacramento Valley a few ranchers are replowing summer fallow, but the majority are unable to work until more rain falls. In the south the weather has been warm, with moderately cool nights. This has been very favorable for citrus fruits. Oranges are ripening rapidly; carloads have already been forwarded, and large shipments will be made between now and the holidays. The back country, however, needs rain. The continued dry weather has caused some orange-growers to resume irrigation.

On the whole, the orange crop promises to be an excellent one in quantity and quality. The raisin crop has been stacked for the last time this season in the Fresno district.

OVERDUE VESSELS.

San Jose Grand Jury Furnishes No San Francisco Shippers Looking for Three Missing Craft.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.-Insurance and shipping men are becoming anxious for the safety of the British bark Faymount, which sailed from Liverpool 206 days ago with a cargo of general merchandise consigned to the Spreckels Company. She is a new vessel. Since her departure from Liver pool the vessel has not been spoken though a great many vessels have ar-

though a great many vessels have arrived here which passed over the course supposed to have been taken by the Faymount, though many of them report adverse winds and weather conditions.

Two other over-due vessels are the British ship Natuna, from London, and the American bark Alexander McNeill, from New Castle, Australia. The Natuna is 193 days out. She was spoken on July 28 in lat. 48 deg. S. and long. 63 deg. 14 min. W. The Alexander McNeill is eighty days out from New Castle with a cargo coal.

HIS HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES.

F. M. McKean Takes \$10,000 of His Employer's Money.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PORTLAND (Or.,) Nov. 23.-F. M. McKean, book-keeper for the Crance Company at Nos. 14 and 16 Front street, was arrested today for the embezzlement of \$10,000 of the company's funds. McKean admitted his guilt to his employers, and it is understood that he will plead guilty to the indictment

found by the grand jury. found by the grand jury.

He has been in the employ of the company for about three years, and as far as can be learned, he never gambled nor drank. According to his own statement, he spent the money for personal and household expenses and for his wife. McKean came here from San Francisco about five years ago.

soon afterward was brought here, and at his preliminary examination, numerous witnesses swore that they had seen him kill Wing. He was eventually discharged.

Fook got into trouble with the high binders of Monterey over a Chinese slave girl, and a third set of witnesses are now swearing that they saw him kill Wing.

U.S.S. ALERT IN PORT.

She Brings Information About the Guatemala Revolution.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 23.—The U.S.S. Alert came into port today at noon, eleven days from Acapulco. The Alert left San Francisco on her way south on September 18, her first point of destination being Ocos, in Guate

nsurgents had looted the custom house, taking about \$25,000, and left for the interior. The government forces were in possession of the town, and the Alert passed on to San José. Here she remained during the whole of the insurrection. Capt. Richards of the insurrection. Capt. Richards says at most the uprising was a very small affair, the leaders being only supported by Indians and people taken out of the coffee plantations. Before the Alert left San José on November 6, Gen. Barrios had completely suppressed the uprising, and had established himself in office for another six years. Barrios had the support of the military and the foreign element, with whom he appeared to be in good standing.

whom he appeared to be in good standing. The Alert will take on about one hunare Alert will take on about one hundred tons of coal and will leave for San Francisco Friday morning. Officers of the Alert were questioned about the Ocos Island treasure story. They denied all knowledge of it, and one of them added that they had not even heard of it until they arrived here.

A HOUSEMAID'S DEATH. Turns on the Gas and Leaves a Man

a Letter.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] OAKLAND, Nov. 23 .- May Smith, a young woman 30 years of age, commit-ted suicide in the Polk Hotel in Ala-meda early this morning by turning on the gas jets. When discovered by the landlord she was dead. She left a letter to Otto Rup of Alameda, the closing sentences of which were: "When I'm dead and gone, remember

"When I'm dead and gone, remember what you promised me. I lived for you, and die for you."

The young woman was formerly the wife of a man named Farrel, who lived in Lakeport. One day while she was out driving with her husband, the latter was shot dead by her side. After the burial the widow assumed the name of Smith, and made a living in San Francisco and Oakland by doing housework.

NEVER GOT TO KLONDIKE. Out of Money and Hope G. Rakeman Drowns Himself. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.-Early today an unknown man committed suicide by jumping into the bay from the Folsom-street wharf. The body was subsequently recovered by a boatman and turned over to the Coroner when it was ascertained from letter and papers in the pockets of the deceased that the suicide was G. Rakeman, formerly an employé at the im-migration station at Ellis Island, New York

migration station at Emis Island, New York.

Rakeman left his wife and family in New York and went to Seattle, Wash., intending to seek the Klondike gold fields in the spring. Two weeks ago he came to San Francisco. He had letters of recommendation from officers of eastern railroads, and was seeking employment in the railroad service. He was out of money, and had lost home.

Man and Money Missing.

PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Nov. 23.—Eugene St. Claire, a butcher of Glia Bend, is missing and opinions among the people of the hamlet are divided between a of the hamlet are divided between a belief of foul play and that he has absconded. He left Gila Bend ten days ago for a ranch near the Mexican border, taking about \$2000 cash intrusted to him by a butcher named Hyle for the purchase of cattle. He has not been heard from since. A party of searchers have started on his trail, determined to solve the mystery. St. Claire was arrested several months ago, charged with participation in the brutal murder at Gila Bend of Druggist Pratt, but was soon released.

Valley Railroad Reports.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Valley Railroad filed its first annual report with the Board of Railroad Commissioners this afternoon. The report is for the year ending June 30, 1897. Up to that date the competing road had cost \$3,614,964. Of this amount the sum of \$2,812,228 was spent on the roadbed, track and bridges; equipment of the road cost \$411,501. The balance of the total sum represented the supplies on hand last June. Current liabilities on June 30 were \$1,119,138, but this debt has been wiped out by the sale of the company's bonds subsequent to the time covered by the report.

YUMA (Ariz.,) Nov. 23.—The result of the fifty-three-mill samples upon the ores of the property of the Rio Colorado Gold Extraction Company in the Chocolate Mountains of Yuma county, Ariz., is, on the average of the whole number of samples, \$68.10 per ton. It is claimed 75 per cent. is free milling. Hence the free-milling product of their property nominally is \$50.83 per ton and \$200 per ton concentrates for the smelter, and the expected daily product \$762.45 free gold, with concentrates \$245.15. Nominally the daily product is \$1016.60. Thirty men are working on the mines now.

Cheap Rates to Chicago.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Chronicle will say tomorrow: "Railroad men are in hourly expectation of the receipt of orders to cut passenger rates from this city to Chicago 44.50. The fight between the Wisconsin Central and the other roads east has thus far resulted in a reduction of fares from \$11 to \$8\$ between Chicago and \$1. Paul. This does not affect the transcontinental business, but the moment that the cut is extended to the Missouri River it will reduce passenger rates just that much from San Francisco to Chicago."

Oakland's Water Front.

Belcher today by the insanity commissioners and sent to the insane asylum. The Kelburne arrived last Sunday from Swansea, and during the last three months of her voyage the officers and crew were rendered uneasy owing to the violent conduct of Blair, who lost his reason while the vessel was rounding Cape Horn.

"Frosty" Coons Poisoned. "Frosty" Coons Polsoned.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 23.—A report was received at the Sheriff's office today of the polsoning at Elk Grove of a young man named "Frosty" Coons, on Dr. Caple's ranch. A Chinese cook who has fled from the place is charged with the crime. Coons is by some said to be dangerously ill, while others assert that he is not suffering from polson, but from liquor.

Drowned in the Bay. Drowned in the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—W. W.
Jenkins, a plumber, was drowned in
the bay this afternoon. Jenkins and J.
Ferguson started out in a skiff. When
only a short distance from the shore,
Jenkins started to rock the boat which
finally capsized. Ferguson managed to
get to the shore, but Jenkins was
drowned. He was 33 years old, and
unmarried.

Superintendent Black's Views. Superintendent Black's Views.

STOCKTON, Nov. 23.—State Superintendent of Public Instruction Black today in a talk before the county institute asserted that he did not believe in life diplomas, nor in any certificate to teach which had a life of more than six years. He also advocates separate examinations for teachers of different grades in the schools.

Gen. Shafter's Orders

SAN FRANCISCO. Nov. 23.—Gen. Shafter has issued orders relieving battery D. Third Artillery, from duty at Angel Island. The battery is to proceed on the 28th inst. to San Diego barracks to relieve Compony H. First Infantry, which will proceed to the Presidio.

Revolvers Pointed at Him. BAKER CITY (Or.,) Nov. 23.—James Calhoun's store at Richland, Eagle Valley, was held up last night by two masked men who, at the point of revolvers, forced the proprietor to turn over \$200. The robbers then made their

Agricultural College Fire. PULLMAN (Wash..) Nov. 23.—Ferry Hall, one of the largest buildings of he State Agricultural College, was de-tiroyed by fire early this morning, ausing a loss of \$40,000. The fire was aused by a defective flue.

Tribute to McCord. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The Produce Exchange in this city was closed this morning as a tribute of respect to the late John McCord. There will, however, be a 2 o'clock session.

County Surveyor Dead. SONORA, Nov. 23.—S. W. Smith. County Surveyor, was found dead to-day in his room at the Hotel Willow, Jamestown.

REPUBLICAN ELECTED. Henry S. Boutell Succeeds Cooke 1

the Sixth Illinois District. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—At the special election held today in the Sixth Con-gress District for a successor to Ed-ward Cooke, deceased, Henry S. Boutell, the Republican candidate, was elected competitor, by 820, the total vote being Boutell, 10,204; Perkins, 9384; Landgren Populist, 228, and David, Prohibiti

At the last Congress election in this district. Cooke, Republican, was elected over Martin, Democrat, by 6579, the total vote being, Cooke, 25,723; Martin, 19,144.

CABINET MEETING.

resident McKinley Says His Message is Practically Completed. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REL'ORT.] WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The Cabi-

et held a very short meeting today, as the President and several of its mem ber's attended the wedding of Mr. Har-lan, son of Jistice Harlan, to Miss Noble. The time of the meeting was taken up with matters from the several departments.

President McKinley informed the

Cabinet that his message was practically completed, but he did not read any portion of it to them. It is prob-able that the message will be consid-ered at the next meeting.

THOEN'S TRIAL.

The Jury is Secured and the Hear ing Begun.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—In a little more han an hour this morning three additional urors for the trial of Martin Thorn, the aljurors for the tria of Martin Horn, the alleged assassin of William Guldensuppe, were secured in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court of Queens county. This made ten jurors chosen those selected today being Nicholas Blake, carpenter, of Freeport: Charles Schreiber, real-estate dealer of Valley Stream, and Beorge E. Ellard, oysterman, of Great Nek.

The impaneling of a jury was completed when the time arrived for noon recess, the last two jurors cheen being Valentine Walz, farmer, of Lynn Brook, and Ellas Velso; carpenter, of Fort Washington.

Dist. Astty, Young opened the case for the people in an address, which was for the most part a repetition si his speech to the jury when the trial begin two weeks ago.

John Maguire, oie of the boys who found the first bundle of Guldensuppe's remains in the East River, was called as the first witness.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The testimony of the several witnesses examined this afternoon related solely to the finding of the different pertons of the body. It was practically the same as that gone over at the first trial, and nothing new was elicted. Several of Guidersuppe's fellow-worknen at the bath-house described the marks by which they had dentified the body as that of the missing rubber, and at 4:50 o'clock the court adjourned until tomorrow.

ANOTHER DUNHAM CAUGHT. James Buford Arrested by the Mar-shal at Salisbury, Ark. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

[ASSOCIATED PIGSS NIGHT REPORT.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark..) Nov. 22.—A special to the Gazette from Van Buren, Ark., rays:
"City Marshal Charles Wells of Salisbury made what is thought to be an important arrest here today when he captured J. C. Dunham, alias James Buford, wanted 'In Santa Clara county, Cal., for the nurder of Colonel and Mrs. R. P. McGlincy, Mrs. Hattle Dunham, Miss Minnie Schessler, J. K. Wells and R. M. Briscoe, May 26, 1896.
"The crime was committed for the purpose of robbery, and, owing to the prominence of the family, a reward of \$11,300 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of Dunham and his pals. J. S. Linton, Sheriff of Santa Clara county, Cal., was notified and wired instructions to Marshal Wells to hold Dunham until complete 'dentification papers could be forwarded from Californie "

Ex-King Milan Seeks a Divorce.

PRAGUE (Bohemia.) Nov. 23.—A newspaper of this city says that ex-King Milan of Servia is again-seeking to divorce his wife. Natalie, in order that he may marry Artemisia Christie, the divorced wife of his former secretary, and by whom the former King has a son.

Wholesale Shooting of Negroes.
COLUMBIA (S. C.,) Nov. 23.—Informatio
was received here tonicht from Batesburg of
a wholesale shooting of negroes during a roover cards. Three are dead and two desperately wounded.

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SANDBAGGED.

C. C. FULTON HAS A NARROW ES CAPE FROM DEATH.

Struck on the Right Temple With Blunt Instrument in the Hands of Unknown Robbers, Who Were Frightened Away by an Officer

C. C. Fulton, a contractor living at No

C. C. Fulton, a contractor living at No. 1515
West Sixteenth street, was sandbagged on
Main street near Ninth street at 2:45 o'clock
this morning. The robbers were frightened
away by the approach of Officer Ziegler before they could rob their victum, who was
taken to the Receiving Hospital.

Mr. Fulton is an elderly man. He is working on a waterworks contract in San Gabriel
Cafion, and stayed downtown last night with
the intention of taking the early train for
Azusa. He made the rounds of several firstclass saloons, and it is thought the largesolitaire diamond stud which he wore excited the cupidity of some one, who naturally
thought the wearer carried a large sum of
money. Mr. Fulton started for the Santa
Fé depot about 1:30 o'clock. He was somewhat intoxicated, and suspected nothing
wrong when an affable stranger, also ostensibly bound for the depot, Joined him. He
failed to pay any attention to the direction
in which he was being led, and the two wandered out Main street. Near Ninth street some
one stepped out from the shadow of a building and struck Mr. Fulton on the right
temple with a heavy, blunt weapon. The
blow did not, however, render him
unconsclous, and when the two men
started to go through is pockets, and tore
his shirt in an ineffectual effort to get the
stred, Mr. Fulton struggled and called for
help. The proximity and prompt response of
Officer Ziegler saved the man from robbery,
at least, and possibly from death, as the men
din not waste any ineffectual blows. At the
approach of the officer, the robbers fied, and
Mr. Fulton was removed to the Receiving
House and in the lower, it would have killed
him.

Mr. Fulton described the man who walkes
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Mr. Fulton described the man who walked with him as a tail, rather heavily-built fellow, wearing a dark suit and light hat. The shirt was nearly torn to shrees in the efforts of the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone, which is said the men to secure the stone that the said the men to secure the said the to be worth \$350. Mr. Fulton did not have any large amount of money with him, and feels positive that the robbers did not get

NATIONAL DEMOCRATS. Chairman Bynum Nails Their Colors

to the Mast.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—W. D. Bynur hairman of the National Democratic Conchairman of the National Democratic Committee, today issued an address, claiming that the results of the recent election were in no wise discouraging to the success of the principles for which the National Democratic party has been battling, stating that the silver organizations had lost the States of Ohio and Maryland, with the Legislatures, which will choose United States Senators. The address maintains that the Silver Democratic vote was decreased in all the States in which elections were held.

The address adds: "The efforts of the National Democratic oganization last year were to aid in saving the credit of the nation from dishonor, its mission in the future will be, if possible, to preserve the true principles of Democracy until judgment and reason shall again dominate the councils of the party, and its ancient creed be restored to its platform."

BUNG FLEW OUT.

And the Ravenswood Distillery is Burned to the Ground. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
ST. LOUIS (Mo..) Nov. 23.—A fire that did
fully \$100,000 damage broke out shortly before 5 o'clock this evening in the warehouse
of the Ravenswood Distillery Company in
North St. Louis.
Two employés were on the fourth floor of
the seven-story warehouse, rolling a barrel of
alcohol from an upper tier, when the bung
flew out, and a stream of alcohol covered a
lantern. In an instant flames sprang up,
seriously ourning C. J. Murphy about the
face. A general fire-alarm was turned in,
but the work of the firemen was useless, ris
the six thousand barrels of alcohol, bourbon,
rye and spirits stored in the building fed the
flames, and within thirty minutes the entire
warehouse was a roaring furnace from cellar
to roof.

Equal Suffrage Conference.

GRAND RAPIDS, (Mich.,) Nov. 23.—
Miss Susan B. Anthony and a few of her associates of the National Equal Suffrage Association opened a conference in the St. Cecilia Temple here last evening with a large number of prominent women from other sections of the State. The programme included addresses of welcome with responses by members of the National Committee and papers on various subjects. The conference will close this evening with a general reception.

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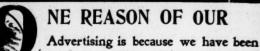
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JOHN H. SCHUMACHER, No. 107 N. Spring street, I have had some excellent work done by Dr. Schiffman, both extracting and plate work, without pain, and to my entire satisfaction.

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Total for the week. 18,7,000
Daily average for the week. 19,584
[Signed] HARRY CHANDLER.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th
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[Seal] THOMAS L. CHAPIN,
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Public notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a certain decree of the circuit court of the United States, 8th circuit, southern district of California, given and entered of record on the 16th day of September, A. D., 1897, in the above entitled action, whereby I am commanded to said defendant, Vanderbild, amounting to the second of interest thousand, three hunder of the control of th together with all linear to the control of the cont

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A SENSATIONAL "ARGUMENT."

ATTORNEY MESERVE BITTERLY ASSAILS G. J. GRIFFITH.

and an Ass-"Poker" Davis Turned Loose Again-Farmer Feathers . "Didn't Know Nothin'."

The blunders and omissions that are Ilmost daily coming to light in con-lection with the City Assessor's office are notorious. The climax has been capped by the discovery that the prop-erty of the Mateo-street and Santa Féavenue Street-car Company has been wholly omitted from the assessment

The Police Commissioners met yesterday, but transacted only routine The city is now able to pay all war-

rants except those drawn on the Elysian Park fund. An apportionment of \$40,000 was made yesterday. A sensational argument was made by

A sensational argument was made by Edwin A. Meserve, Esq., associate counsel for the defense in the Bird forgery case yesterday afternoon. G. J. Griffith, the complaining witness, was bitterly denounced. Mr. Meserve declared that Griffith had signed the checks alleged to have been forged and declined to admit it in the hope of declined to admit it in the hope of forcing the First National Bank to pay him \$1200, the amount represented by

Asst. Dist.-Atty. Williams made the closing argument for the State, and at 9:45 o'clock last night the case was sub-

mitted to the jury.

The preliminary examination of "Poker" Davis, charged with having robbed William Feathers, a San Fernando rancher, in a card game, was nando rancher, in a card game, was held before Justice Young yesterday. Feathers said he did not see Davis change the cards on him, but he was positive that he had been "film-flammed." Justice Young found that the evidence against Davis was not sufficient to justify his being held for the land the gambler was discharged. trial and the gambler was discharged. Mrs. Louisa Creede asked permission yesterday to withdraw her petition for letters of administration upon the estate of the late N. C. Creede estate. The matter was taken under advise ment by Judge Clark.

IAT THE CITY HALL.

ESCAPES TAXATION.

MATEO-STREET RAILROAD EX-

ot a Dollar of Taxes Assesse Against the Corporation's Prop-erty-Police Board Meets - Cash in All but One of the City Funds.

Hostility to corporations is commonly apposed to be one of the cardinal rinciples of the Populist's creed, but principles of the Populist's creed, but the Populism that pervades the department of City Assessor Seaman appears to be of a different stripe. It is the duty of the Assessor to place upon the assessment roll the description and valuation of all property within the city limits, whether owned by private individuals or by corporations. Omissions have been many and glaring and the list of property-owners who have been allowed to wholly escape taxation is a long one. A notable instance was the omission of one entire block of fity-five lots. But the crowning performance of this character is the complete omission from the assessment roll of all the property, real and personal.

plete omission from the assessment roin of all the property, real and personal, of the Mateo-street and Santa Fé Avenue Street Car Company. Nearly three miles of street railroad, the car barns on Mateo street, near the car barns on Mateo street, hear Ninth street and the lots upon which they stand, all the cars, horses and other equipment of the line, were wholly omitted from the assessment roll. Not a dollar of taxes has been roll. Not a dollar of taxes has been levied against the company by the City Assessor. From the burden imposed by law upon every owner of property, this corporation has been generously permitted to escape.

The innumerable burders, omissions

and evidences of inefficiency that have been coming to light in connection with the City Assessor's department have hitherto been excused by his friends, on the ground that many of his deputies were men unfitted by training or exwere men unfitted by training or experience for the work intrusted to them. When Seaman came into office there was a general discharge of the deputies who had served under the previous administration, only two or three experienced men being retained. Among the new appointees were a number of Populist and Democratic ward workers and strikers, whose only recommendation was their past political service.

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Seaman's apologists also say that ill health has compelled him to be repeatedly absent from his office, so that he has been unable to give his personal supervision to the work.

The property of the Mateo-street railroad was duly assessed last year, and the taxes were paid by the company. The deputies had before them that assessment roll, and the omission is therefore all the more remarkable.

The degree of intelligence possessed by a deputy who overlooks such a visible and tangible subject for taxation as the property of a street-railroad company affords an interesting subject for speculation.

C. A. Sumner, secretary of the company, was asked yesterday afternoon how it happened that no taxes had been assessed against the company. He expressed surprise, saying that he had furnished the Assessor' with a statement of the company's property as required by law. He could not up.

had furnished the Assessor with a statement of the company's property as required by law. He could not un-derstand the omission of the company's property from the assessment roll. He said the company was duly taxed last year and its taxes were paid.

POLICE COMMISSION.

der Consideration. oners yesterday morning was a brief one, and they were chiefly occupied with matters relating to saloon li-

of suppressing the bunco men who infest the city.

Not unnaturally, Mr. Chambers's reply was rather indefinite, as he had before him no definite statement of facts. His communication was as follows:

"In response to your request for an opinion as to whether a prosecution for conspiracy will lie against buncosterers, I will say that in my opinion such a prosecution will lie in at least some instances which are reported if sufficient testimony can be secured to substantiate the charges made by the victims, but as to what charge it is-advisable to bring against the so-called bunco-steerers, it is impossible to tell in any given case until the circumstances of the case are laid before the prosecuting attorney."

The application of J. H. Paulin for a saloon license at the northwest corner of First street and Boyle avenue, which has aroused such strenuous opposition from residents in that vicinity, was finally denied.

Paulin has been persistently seeking this license for six months, and his application has been three times before the board. The Chief reported that Paulin had leased the premises in which he proposed to have his saloon to R. A. Greenhill for a term of years and that the latter does not want a saloon in the place. The Commissioners unanimously denied the application.

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ers unanimously defined the application.

The board granted the application of A. W. Metz for a transfer to himself of the saloon license at No. 504 South Spring street; also the application of Antonio Ferrario for a transfer to himself of the license for the saloon at No. 689 Upper Main street.

An application for a transfer of the license for saloon at No. 106 Court street, from Isadore Laventhal to Jessie Avise, and the application for a transfer of the license for saloon at No. 1603 North Main street from Adolf Muller to Frank Lulfing, were referred to the Chief.

to the Chief.

The application of J. W. Sprague for appointment as special policeman was filed.

ON EASY STREET. Money in All the City Funds but One.

The tax receipts on Monday amounted to \$23,000, so that the City Auditor was enabled yesterday to make

an apportionment of \$40,000.

This places a cash balance to the credit of every fund except the Elysian Park fund. City Treasurer Hartwell is now able to pay all warrants except those drawn upon the fund For the first time in months the

teachers in the city schools were able to cash their warrants, and many of them visited the City Treasurer's office

Street Superintendent Drain will make final inspection at 1 o'clock this afternoon of the improvements on Mateo street between Ninth and Legrand streets. Final Inspection of Mateo Street

A. M. Loop, as agent for Mrs. S. J. Whipple, has filed a petition to the Council stating that lot 11, block B, Bonnie Brae tract, was assessed as improved, the improvements being valued at \$1450. As a matter of fact, the petitioner says the property is vacant and should have been so assessed. He asks

LAT THE COURT HOUSE.

ROASTED CAPITALIST.

TORNEY MESERVE.

Abuse—The Case of Bird Sub-mitted to the Jury—Wrangling Lawyers Called to Order.

In opening his argument for the de-fense in the Bird case yesterday, Ed-win A. Meserve, Esq., took advantage of his privilege as an attorney to make this remarkable and somewhat start-ling declaration:

"G. J. Griffith is a perjurer and a

liar. He is not only these, but is, as well, an unmitigated ass!"

The courtroom was crowded when Mr. Meserve arose and began his last plea in behalf of his client. Astonishment was written upon the face of every one present. But this opening declaration afforded not the only sur-prise. Attorney Meserve grew more and more vigorous and emphatic as he

every one present. But this opening declaration afforded not the only surprise. Attorney Meserve grew more and more vigorous and emphatic as he proceeded in his argument, and time and again he indulged in bitter characterizations and biting sarcasm in his references to Mr. Griffith and his testimony at the trial just closed and at the preliminary examination.

"I do not ask you to take my statement to convince you that Griffith is a perjurer. He has proven this fact himself—out o' his own mouth." Mr. Meserve continued. "I cannot say that Griffith proved himself to be a fool while he was testifying in this courtroom. I hink it would be unjust to charge him with having done that, because he was born that way and should not be held responsible. He will remain such until God Almighty removes him from this earth and calls him to an accounting. I hope that the scene of his taking off, when the judgment (asy finally arrives, will be less tragic than that said to have been enacted by Bird in his alleged attempt at the Canary Cottage.

"The Almighty must have had a grudge against somebody and avenged it by engrafting a seed of folly in this man Griffith at his birth. It would be but charitable, in allusions to Griffith and his testimony, to announce the conviction that a cog is missing—his mental machinery got out of order. As long as the wheels worked in unison, with the requirements of the prosecuting attorney, it was all right. Whenever a cog was slipped, however, Griffith tried to square things by grinding out a falsehood.

"He denied on the stand that Teller Hammond of the First National Bank ever went to his office and examined many of the checks produced here in evidence. Mr. Hammond afterwards testified that he did go to Griffith's office and that he went there to examine the checks upon Griffith's reousest. Thus we have two statements

up as being a windmill. I stand corrected,"
Meserve had squared himself for a response wnen Judge Smith interrupted the proceedings by admonishing the belligerent attorneys not to indulge in family quarrels.
"Well, your honor, knowing Mr. Williams as I do, I believe your admonition to be entirely appropriate. I—"
"Go on with your windmill," Williams broke in and, with a sarcastic smile, Meserve resumed his remarks to the jury.

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"Mr. Griffith exposed his hand in this case when the action against Bird was brought," resumed Meserve. "He was too much of a coward to swear to the complaint and induced one of his hire-lings to do that for him. Why? He didn't want to take the chances of incurring any responsibility. He knew that he was treading upon unsteady and dangerous ground when he openly charged Bird with having robbed him and declined to finsh the job by swearing to the complaint. His hireling was."

"Say, I want to know who you refer to when you speak of Griffith's hire-ling?" Williams interrupted in thun-

to when you speak of Griffith's hireling?" Williams interrupted in thunderous tones.

"I refer to Knight, Griffith's secretary," replied Meserve.

"You call him a hireling, do you?"

"Of course I do. Why not? He's a
hireling just as you are. You're a hireling, are you not?"

"No, I am not, sir."

"You are drawing a salary from the
county and are a hireling of the
county."

"You are off your base, young man.
I am no hireling of the county."

am no hireling of the county."
"Well," replied Meserve, controlling his temper with much difficulty and attempting to smile, "you may be right; maybe you are not a hireling of the county. It may be G. J. Griffith who is putting up the 'dough' for your able services."

services."

The court once more rapped loudly and demanded that no further quarreling be indulged in.
"Now, I demand the attorney to ex-

"Now, I demand the attorney to explain upon what authority he makes these statements concerning the complaint having been signed by Mr. Knight," from Mr. Williams.
"It's in evidence," returned Meserve.
"It isn't," replied williams.
"It is."

"It is."

A protracted discussion followed.

"Well, Mr. Meserve," said Judge
Smith, "you are in the wrong in this
matter. There is no evidence to justify your assertions.

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About 4 o'clock Asst. Dist.-Atty. Williams commenced the closing argument for the prosecution.

"I am surprised—utterly asiounded," Mr. Williams began, "that at attorney who has been admitted to practice in this court, a man who claims an honorable standing in this community, should get up here and make such an outrageous argument as has just been made by Mr. Meserve. He has not only disregarded all rules of the court, but has stooped so low as to willfully misrepresent the testimony and misstate the facts in this case. He has seen fit to make a vicious attack upon seen fit to make a vicious attack upon G. J. Griffith, a man who has resided G. J. Griffith, a man who has resided in this community for years, who has been identified with the leading commercial enterprises of the city and county, and who enjoys the respect and confidence of the best people in Southern California. What can counsel expect to gain by such an action? Why doesn't he stand up in a decent and professional manner and present his case upon the merits of the testimony brought out at the trial? For shame! It is almost inconceivable that any one with the slightest respect for himself

to be a forgery, as he had not drawn a check on the First National Bank since August 7, and had drawn no checks in upon any bank on the 19th. We have forced him to swallow his own words by introducing two checks dated August 18, the signatures to which he admitted to be genuine. One of the checks was made out in favor of a local plano firm from whom he had purchased a plano. When the signatures to which he admitted to be genuine. One of the checks was made out in favor of a local plano firm from whom he had purchased a plano. When the signature is the signatures to when the checks was made out in favor of a local plano firm from the word in the word of the word

MRS. CREEDE WITHDRAWS.

Does not Desire to Be Administrator of the Estate, After All. At least one important point raised the Creede will case is in a fair way

in the Creede will case is in a fair way of being finally disposed of.
Yesterday Mrs. Creede's lawyers appeared in Judge Clark's court and asked permission to withdraw their client's application for letters of administration on the dead millionaire's estate. Judge Clark did not grant the motion, but took the matter under advisement until January 11, 1898.

In the event of the motion being In the event of the motion being granted by Judge Clark, John T. Jones, Esq., will be granted letters of admin-stration

"DIDN'T KNOW NOTHIN!"

Farmer Feathers and "Poker" Davis in Court. William H. Feathers, the San Fer

nando rancher who dropped \$250 in a card game with "Poker" Davis about three weeks ago, made his "squeal" yesterday before Justice Young, to whom he appealed for the return of his

money.

The courtroom was well filled with
"Poker" Davis and local tin-horn



POKER DAVIS.

gamblers when Feathers was ordered to take the stand by Deputy District Attorney Willis.

Feathers told his story with much difficulty, and his actions upon the stand dispelled any possible doubt as to the ease with which he must have been worked by Davis and his gang, if his story is true. Feathers "didn't know nothin'" or anybody. He had an idea that Davis, whom he was asked to identify, was the man who robbed him, but he wasn't sure if Burke, who also



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two hours later.

The plaintiffs state that they had, for a long time, been dependent upon the son for their means of support and that upon his death they were deprived of the same. They allege that they have been damaged in the sum of \$5000 through the carelessness of the company, and bring suit accordingly.

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Briftwood Thrown

INSOLVENCY. R. H. Shoemaker, Jr., who resides near Pasadena, has filed a voluntary petition in insolvency with the County Clerk. According to the statement on file Shoemaker's lia. bilities amount to \$5048 and his assets to \$1586.21.

VETERAN MISSING. The whereabouts of James Smith, an old veteran who formerly was an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Santa Monica, is the subject of inquiry among his friends. The importance attached to his absence arises from the fact that he has been made heir to a good-sized estate in the East.

LAT THE U. S. BUILDING. Tanaka on Trial.

G. Tanaka, one of the two Japanese

G. Tanaka, one of the two Japanese indicted by the grand jury for forging a postal order in Fresno, was on trial yesterday before Judge Wellborn in the District Court. The case went over until today. As soon as it is concluded the man will be tried on the second indictment against him.

POSTAL RECEIPTS.

Auditor's Annual Report for the Pacific Coast.

The auditor of the Postal Department has filed his annual report of the postoffice receipts, and the record made by the Pacific Coast places Los Angeles well up in the front rank. San Angeles well up in the front rank. San Francisco, of course, makes the largest showing, the receipts for the year amounting to \$\$50,603-23. Los Angeles comes next with \$190,126.38, Portland, cr., snows \$150,777.57; Oakland, \$102.895.09; Seattle, Wash., \$\$3,108.42; Sacramento, \$72,162.76; Spokane, \$58,221.12; Tacoma, \$48,866.35.

MONEY-ORDER SYSTEM. It is to Be Extended Wherever it is . of Advantage. Postal Inspector Flint has received notice that it is the purpose of the Postal Department to extend the mon-

ey-order system to any locality where it may be of advantage or convenience to the citizens generally, or to a limited number, for the purpose of remitting small sums of money, and it will also cause any office not now on the list to be made a money order office when it shall be ascertained that citi-zens of other localities desire to make remittances to such office.

RAILWAY POSTAL CLERKS.

They Will Hereafter Distribute Mail on the Trains. The Postal Department has notified the local postoffice that hereafter the city distribution in railway postoffice cars will be made by railway postoffice clerks instead of by the clerks now detailed from city postoffices for that purpose. The distribution is to be en-tirely confined to such trains as reach the city at an hour when the clerks

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT. OS ANGELES-Tennessee's Pardner. BURBANK-The Banker's Daughter, ORPHEUM-Vaudeville.

HUNTINGTON'S MAN.

One of the skulking and pettifogging expedients resorted to by the

Secretary of War to provide himself with some shadow of an excuse for neglecting to proceed with work on the San Pedro Harbor was his appeal to the Judge-Advocate-General of the army for an opinion as to whether the act of Congress providing for the construction of the harbor carried with it an appropriation. The Judge-Advocate-General is said to have expressed the opinion that no money was appropriated for the work, and this opinion is said to have "convinced" Gen. Alger that he could not legally proceed with the work!

What reason, what excuse, can Gen. 'Alger offer for asking the opinion or advice of the Judge-Advocate-General of the army in this matter? The duties of that official are military, not civil; they are to review the findings of courts martial, and to decide other of courts-martial, and to decide other law and army matters. The construction of the San Pedro Harbor, though under the direction of the War Department, is a matter which in no sense pertains to the military estab-lishment. It belongs to the civil rather than to the military department of the government. It is a commercial project, pure and simple. If the Secretary of War desired further information on any points covered by the act, he should have consulted the Attorney-General, not the Judge-Advocate-General. By so doing he could have secured the desired information

legal opinion from the Attorney-General was not what Gen. Alger wanted. Upon another occasion, as will be remembered, he consulted the Attorney General in connection with the San Pedro Harbor matter, and got information of a kind which he was not seeking, to the effect that there were no obstacles to his proceeding with the harbor work. A second application to the Attorney-General would opinion which would have swept away all of the Secretary's quibbles in a bunch. This was evidently what he feared, hence his application to one of his own subordinates, the Judge-'Advocate-General of the army, from whom, perhaps, he knew he could obtain such an "opinion" as he desired.

The maneuverings of this smallcalibered, misfit Cabinet officer to evade the plain and simple provisions of an act of Congress are not only contemptible, but in a moral sense (if not in a legal sense) they are criminal. By his course in this affair he has placed upon his judgment, if not upon his character, an effaceable stain. He has cast reproach upon the na tional administration, and has brought unjust and needless criticism upon the President himself.

The absolute untenableness of Sec. retary Alger's position is shown by the numerous and puerile excuses , which he has offered from time to time for his neglect to execute the law. At first he professed to be anxious and fully determined to proceed with the work at the earliest practicable date. He gave personal assurances to that effect to citizens of Los Angeles who called upon him in ing information that he was in doubt as to the meaning of the law. He was unable to decide whether the money was to be expended on the outer or the inner harbor, or both-on "a harbor for commerce and of refuge, which one, if either-one or both, neither or which. A Senate resolution, introduced by Senator White, made this matter clear (if it had been in doubt,) and instructed the Secretary to proceed with the work as provided in the law. Alger's next quibble was to the effect that concurrent action by both houses of Congress was necessary to define his duties in the premises. Then he abandoned that position, apparently of his own motion, and announced that he would "go ahead" on the strength of the Senate resolution alone. But he failed dition of things, and it is to be hoped to do it. Later still, the President having been directly appealed to by our people, the Attorney-General was which he promptly did, with the re sult that Alger was officially informed that there were no obstacles in the way of his proceeding with the work. This opinion from the Attorney-General was conveniently "mislaid" for several weeks, but finally the anuncement came from the War De- a life tenure of office.

partment that at last its dilatory head

had decided to go ahead without fur-ther delay. All his objections had been met, one after another, and the Secretary had seemingly no alternative but to place the plans in the hands of engineers for the preparation of specifications upon which bids could be invited by public advertisement. When the specifications had been prepared, he suddenly discovered that no money had been appropriated by Congress to pay for the work! This objection was promptly met by Senators White and Perkins with the assurance that the San Pedro work had been provided for by Congress in the same manner as other government work of its kind, and that the money would be forthcoming when needed He was also assured that responsible

contractors stood ready to bid for the work, and would take their chances of repayment by the government tention that no money had been appropriated to pay for advertising for bids! This objection was promptly

quibble would avail. The game was

All this is pitiable, humiliating, and

at the same time inexpressibly exas-

perating. Again and again have the people, through their accredited rep-

resentatives, won this harbor fight

win, and will certainly win in the

treed at last.

met by the offer of the Los Angele Chamber of Commerce, supplemented by a like offer from the Merchants' Association-both of which are thoroughly responsible and representative organizations-to guarantee the payment in full of all advertising bills, without asking the government for a cent in repayment. These offers were met with a flat refusal. They put Mr. Alger in a position where no further

from an authoritative source. against the grasping greed of an un-But authentic information and a scrupulous and dangerous foe. Again and again have they been robbed of the fruits of victory, even in the hour of triumph. It is time for this trifling to cease. It is time for the question to be determined, decisively and finally, whether Russell R. Alger of Michigan, Secretary of War in the Cabinet of the President of the United States, is either directly or obliquely in the service of Collis P. Huntington and his henchmen, official and otherundoubtedly have brought forth an wise, and whether these people and their influence are greater and stronger than the government of the United States. The people of Southern California are good fighters, and they will stay in this fight to the last extremity. The Old Guard is in it to

AN "ODIOUS COMPARISON." Here it is, and it is in figures at that-figures that don't lie. A comparative exhibit of the amount of ad-Francisco morning papers last Sunday, and in the Los ANGELES TIMES on striking and knock-down results:

"LINERS." Los Angeles Times (over 6 pages)... San Francisco Examiner 1657 San Francisco Examiner San Francisco Call ..... San Francisco Chronicle The percentages shown here are as follows: The "Liners" or small advertisements printed by THE TIMES amounted to 56 per cent. of the whole volume of that class of advertising printed by the three San Francisco papers combined on the same day. The total amount of advertising of all classes (display and classified together) printed in THE TIMES on the same day was 66 per cent. of the total amount contained in the three San Francisco papers named. And there you are! The lesson taught by these comparisons is obvious and striking. Chairman Mathis of the Board of Education speaks up like a man regarding the scandal in that department of the city government, and deserves the thanks and commendation of the people in his attitude toward

> tion of the department will satisfy the people of this city. A department of delay should be instituted by the government, and Secretary Alger made its head, with

that some law may be discovered

the guilty in case guilt is established.

THE OMAHA EXPOSITION.

The Chamber of Commerce will today consider the question of doing something to aid the Southern California display at the Omaha Exposition, next year. The Chamber of J. Bryan is chained to his white Commerce and other organizations have already indorsed the proposition for this section to make an exhibit, and the press has unanimously approved of the suggestion, but indorse ments and approvals will not be sufficient to insure an exhibit from Southern California. For this, work and money will both be required. A bill was introduced in the State Legislature granting an appropriation for a California display at Omaha, but Gov. Budd, in his unwisdom, saw fit to oppose the movement, and it was defeated. In the northern part of the State little interest is apparently taken in the exhibition, but this is no reason why Southern California should not take nterest in the matter. This section has on several occasions had ample proof of what it can do in this line by itself, when it tries "real hard," and we surely have had sufficient evilence of the benefit which such exnibits are to Southern California.

THE TIMES has published descrip ions and cuts of many of the imporant buildings to be erected at Omaha The exposition will be a grand affair, and the first strictly western exhibition of any consequence that has yet been held. It would be a thousand pities should Southern California not be represented there. It is expected that twenty-four States and Territories lying west of the Mississippi will be represented, and many Eastern States, even including New Jersey, are making preparation to be represented on a large scale. The United States government has recognized the importance of the exhibition by appropriating \$200,000, and will prob ably add to this amount.

California cannot afford to become veary in well doing in the line of advertising. It would be a mistake should we not make an adequate representation of our resources at Omaha

#### TOO HORRIBLE FOR BELIEF.

The reports constantly received from Cuba as to the effects of Weyler's alleged campaign of starvation seem incredible. They tell of a scheme of diabolism so damnable, so superlative, that it is not conceivable that any human being in touch with nineteenth-century civilization could be guilty of it. To be sure, these accounts come with much particularity of detail. But we have had so many false reports of the situation in Cuba, on the one side or the other, that we are warranted in distrusting all advices unless they come through strictly official sources.

According to the latest reports, the régime instituted by Weyler contemtion a deliberate plan for the extermination of the entire population of the rural districts in those parts of Cuba under Spanish control. The people of the country districts were forced at the point of the bayonet to leave their homes and concentrate in the cities and villages. No provision was made, it is alleged, for their maintenance, and escape was made impossible by the severity of the military surveillance, to which the "reconcenrados" were subjected. Thus, acording to the oft-repeated statements which have reached the public, chiefly through the medium of dispatches to the eastern papers, the wretched inhabitants of Western Cuba have died of starvation and disease by thou-

sands and tens of thousands. The published statistics of mortality are too stupendous, too terrible, for belief. The civilized world will be slow to accept these revolting details as truth without verification.

There is one way in which the facts can be ascertained, and in this way they will doubtless be brought to vertising printed in the three San light in due course of time. The United States has in the person of Consul-General Lee a trustworthy and the same day, shows the following able representative at Havana. He has just returned to his post in the Cuban capital, and if the situation is as bad as has been reported, he will certainly lose no time in acquainting he Washington government with the facts in detail. The information communicated to the government by Gen. Lee will be reliable, and may properly form the basis for action by the

United States. If the facts should prove to be as reported—if the Spanish have in truth declared a war of extermination, by starvation, against the Cubans-it is not only the duty of the government of the United States to intervene, but all civilized nations on the globe should join in the act of intervention The tales of Turkish cruelty in Armenia shrink into insignificance in comparison with the stories of Spanish diabolism in Cuba. If these horrible scenes have been enacted and are still being enacted almost within sight of our free shores, it is our duty as a nation to interfere, in the cause of humanity and civilization, whether any other nation on earth joins hands

with us or not. But it is to be hoped, for the sake of the good name of humanity, that a thorough investigation of the the terrible stories which have come charges that have been made with so from Cuba of late may prove to be much apparent force. It appears as gross exaggerations. If so, they have if the matter is now in shape for a doubtless been sent out at an opporcomplete exposure of the rotten con- tune time for effect upon the Congress of the United States, which is about to assemble, and for their effect upon the which will permit the punishment of American people at large. events, the government should require Nothing less than a probing of the from Consul-General Lee a prompt remess to the bottom and the purifica- port upon the situation, and upon the receipt of such report should take such action as the situation demands.

> Bryan is at last going to Mexico, where he can study the silver question in its native lair. Let us hope he may be able to imbibe ideas that

will be worth something to him and cause the leopard to change its spots. But that is probably too much to expect, and we confess our enthusiasm does not rise at the thought. Ephraim metal idol, and well he may be. With-

out his idol there would be no Bryan A national conference on the subject of primary-election legislation is to be held in New York early in January. It is proposed to secure uniform laws in the various States, so far as possible, regulating the holding of primary elections. The need for reform in the primary-election laws throughout the country is certainly very pressing, and the movement to secure such reforms is to be commended, even though the undertaking is attended with many difficulties.

Once more the late Mrs. Luetgert has been discovered in Wisconsin, this time in an insane asylum. But it is a noticeable, not to say a significant fact that she has not yet been discovered in or about Chicago, where her presence at the present time is most needed. The horrible suggestion continues to thrust itself upon the mind that Frau Luetgert has passed through a trying experience; also through a sausage vat.

The postal-savings-bank idea growing apace, and the working out of a feasible scheme for the safe keeping of the small capitalists appears to be something closely at hand. Such an establish ment will not only insure the depositor against loss, but it will foster spirit of patriotism among the people, and hence it is a commendable thing in all ways. Let us have the postal savings bank.

A Los Angeles man who returned recently from a visit to San Diego is reported as stating that a better feeling toward Los Angeles is manifested by the merchants of the city of Bay and Climate. In this case, it is hoped that there is no truth in the rumor that a prominent citizen of San Diego has been sent to Washington to lobby against the San Pedro Harbor improvement.

Secretary Alger will neither advertise nor permit any one else to advertise for bids for constructing the harbor authorized by Congress. He advances the claim that such a proceeding would make it appear that the government is "either in too straitened a condition or too parsimonious to defray the expenses." We fear Mr. Alger is becoming finicky.

The Secretary of War appears to be able to find any number of reasons why he may delay beginning work at San Pedro, and not one on the other side of the question-in other words, he never says turkey for us once. None are so blind as those who

W. J. Bryan has appeared in a new role, viz., that of a football player. His début was made at Columbia, Mo Here he showed his agility. We may expect to hear, in the near future, that Bryan is going on the stage to

The testimony brought out on the trial of Capt. Lovering at Fort Sheriwas ambitious to pose as the Weyler of the United States army.

The pleasantest sight seen on Spring street for many a day is the notices posted on trolley poles, giving information of intention to repaye.

## The Dlayhouses

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ATTRACTION TONIGET. This even-ing, the first time in this city, "Tennessee's Pardner," a dramatization of Bret Harte's famous story, will be presented by a repatedly clever company, under the management of Arthur C. Alston, who has piloted many successful organizations into Los

Angeles in past seasons.
According to the criticisms of well-known writers, "Tennessee's Pardner" is a gem in its naturaliress, the main incidents of the play being founded on actual occurrences. The scenes are laid in the mining regions, the action taking place during the present day.

Legitimate comedy of a high order preominates its dramatic story, but the latter is thrilling in the extreme. The laughable doings and clerer dialogue of some of the characters arouses shouts of laughter from the audience and the play is warranted to cure the worst case of "blues," and send the theatergoer home happy in the recollection of a highly-enjoyable evening's entertain-ment. The organization presenting the play contains the names of many wellknown players.

HIGH-BORN LADY'S FALL.

Countess of Lathom Thrown from Her Trap and Killed, [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] LONDON, Nov. 23.—[By Atlantic Ca-ble.] The Countess of Lathom, while returning from a shooting party today, was thrown out of a trap and killed near Wigan, Lancaster. The Countess was formerly Lady Alice Villiers, sec-ond daughter of the fourth Earl of

She was married to the Earl of Lathom in 1860. They had four chil-dren, two sons and two daughters. The eldest son is Lord Skerlmersdale. The Earl of Lathom is the Lord Chamber-lain of the household of Queen Vic-

toria. Boyd Bryan Sternsdorff Dead. Boyd Bryan Sternsdorff Dead.
CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Boyd Bryan
Sternsdorff, son of George J. Sternsdorff, smoke inspector in the health department and god-son of ex-Gov.
Boyd and William Jennings Bryan of
Nebraska, died today of diphtheria.
The deceased was born in Omaha
March 19, 1891, on Bryan's birthday, and
was named after Nebraska's two favorite sons by an act of State Legislature, of which his father was then a
member.

"PAY IT TO PITMAN."

AXTELL'S ADVICE TO BLACK-MAILED TEACHERS.

Adams, Axtell and Brother Pitman Seemed to Understand the Game.

"VERY, VERY INDISCREET."

ADAMS'S METHODS. Prof. Bonebrake Tells of the At-

empt to Hold Him Up-McIn-erny's Lucid Contributions to the Investigation,

The investigation of the school-board scandal, conducted under the auspices of the Better City Government League, was commenced last evening. marked change had come over the board, who have hitherto been blocking the proceedings by all the means in their power. Obviously they have at length awakened to the fact that the public demand for a full and complete exposure of the rotten-ness that has existed is not to be de-Each of the obstructionists is now only eager to save himself by a show of zeal in aiding the investiga-tion. Each displays an edifying willingness to expose the devious devices of his fellow-conspirators.

The only witness examined was Prof. P. O. Bonebrake, who gave a circumstantial account of an attempt to extort money from him just before the election of teachers in June. According to his testimony, he was first approached a few days before the election by Adams, who said that Bone-brake's name was on the blacklist, and advised him to see Axtell. In an interview which followed with Axtell the latter informed Bonebrake that the price of his reflection would be \$120, and that the money could be paid to Pitman. Bonebrake did not pay the

money, however.

A feature of the testimony was a statement by the witness that he had heard McInerny's name mentioned as one of the school-board conspirators. This brought out a cross-examination by McInerny, who were an air of extreme indignation at this imputation upon his character.

upon his character.

Both Axtell and Adams were present and both were represented by attorneys. Frank F. Davis appeared for Axtell and to judge from the manner in which he conducted the cross-examination, he seems to believe his cilent guilty. Adams was represented by Judge Gottschalk.

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T. E. Gibbon conducted the examination in chief, as the representative of the Better City Government League. Dr. Mathis was a few minutes late so that Poor acted as chairman. All of the members of the board were present except Bartlett, who was said to be still absent from the city. On motion, the chair appointed Davis, Webb and Correy as a committee to secure a more suitable place in which to conduct the investigation, the Council chamber at the City Hall being suggested as the most desirable.

Poor asked whether any other organization than the Better City Government League would take part in the examination of witnesses, and Charles E. Walk, Esq., stated that he was present as the representative of the League for Pure City Government.

Frank Davis asked that an adjournment be taken till Saturday or Monday, as he had not familiarized himself with the charges. This was voted down by the board.

y the board. Some debate ensued between the at Some debate ensued between the actorneys as to the methods of procedure to be followed, but Poor said that full latitude would be allowed in the examination of witnesses, and that the board had nothing to conceal. He declared that any crookedness that had existed must be ferreted out, no matter whom it involved.

PROF. BONEBRAKE'S TESTIMONY. Prof. Bonebrake was then sworn, and Mr. Gibbon began the examination.
The witness stated that he had been principal of the Hellman-street school since February, 1895. Shortly before the election of teachers last June, he met Adams and asked him how things were going. "All right, but they are a little mixed in some cases," replied Adams. Witness then asked about his Adams. Witness then asked chout his own case. Adams replied that it was a little questionable and that he had better consult Poor, the member from witness's ward. When witness called on Poor, he was informed that his position was wanted for another man. "I asked him why," testified Prof. Bonebrake. "I asked him whether it was because of incompetency. He said 'no, but the place was wanted for some one else,' and he referred me back to Adams, giving me to understand that Adams was well informed. THE BLACKLIST. THE BLACKLIST.

"I met Adams the next day and told him what Poor said. He replied that there was a blacklist on which were the names of thirteen of the principals of schools, and that my name was on the list. He said there was one way in which I could secure my reappointment and that I had better see Axtell, who was 'well informed as to the doings of this, as well as previous boards.' "VERY, VERY INDISCREET."

"Axtell called the next day and I told him what Adams had said. He said

him what Adams had said. He said 'Adams is very indiscreet.'"

The witness then related the substance of his conversation with Axtell. The latter said there was a way for the witness to secure a position and that the principalship of the Sentousstreet school would be vacant. This is the school of which Prof. T. J. Phillips was then principal, and he was one of those upon whom an attempt at blackmail was made. Witness asked Axtell if he could retain his position only by the payment of money. Axtell replied that that was the only way, and that "it, would take \$120."

PAY IT TO BROTHER PITMAN. PAY IT TO BROTHER PITMAN.

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"I asked him if the money should be paid to him," pursued Prof. Bonebrake. "He replied, 'By no means;' that it must be paid to some third party. He preferred that it should be paid to Mr. Pitman. Axtell said that he was not doing this for himself, and that he was acting as my friend in the matter. This conversation took place on Friday preceding the day of the election of teachers. He said the money must be handed over by the next evening. My salary for one month was \$120, the sum demanded. I was given to understand that it would, take \$140 to get the Sentous-street school. That would be one month's salary for that position."

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The witness said he never pald any money to Axtell nor did he at any time intend to do so. He went to Webb and Bartlett, of the Teachers' Committee. Webb told him that he was all right and would be reappointed. After the talk with Axtell in which the demand for \$120 was made, witness had an interview with Pitman. Witness told Pitman that he had been held up and must put up \$120 or lose his position. He told Pitman of Axtell's suggestion that the money should be paid to Pitman. "He didn't appear to like it, but he didn't say whether he would take it or not." The witness said he never told Axtell or Pitman whether he would pay the money or not.

He simply allowed the matter to rest. After the election of teachers, he learned from Superintendent Foshay that he had been reappointed.

When asked again about his interview with Adams in which the blacklist was mentioned, witness said he "thought Adams's statements were very raw."

CROSS-EXAMINATION.

Frank Davis devoted considerable time to the cross-examination of Prof. Bonebrake and made him repeat the story already told. The witness said that he never supposed Axtell was try-ing to extort money for his own us-but that it was for Adams, "or per-haps for several of the members of the board." The witness was unhaps for several of the members of the board." The witness was unwilling to name the other members that he suspected, for the reason that his suspicions were based only on rumors. When pressed to name them, however, he said that Mainerny was one whom he had heard was implicated in the conspiracy.

The attorney asked why the attempted blackmail was not reported to the board.
"I didn't see that it would do any good. If the board was seeking to get money out of the teachers, it was no use to report the matter."

use to report the matter. M'INERNY'S LUCID QUESTIONS. McInerny then took a hand in the tuestioning. "You had an idea that

wanted some of your money?" "No, sir."
"Do you remember that I visited our school on a certain date?"

"Yes, sir."
"In what capacity?"
"I do not know."

"I do not know."
McInerny grew excited and after some labor managed to convey the information that he was at the school as a member of the Committee on Visiting and Janitors.

"Please state to this board," resumed McInerny, "how you felt while I was there and how you felt after I left?"
To this pertinent inquiry into the state of his feelings, Prof. Bonebrake replied unfeelingly that Mr. McInerny's visit "did not make much impression on him."

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McInerny is not a master of cross-examination and it took about fifteen minutes before he was finally able to explain his meaning. It finally appeared that he wished to know whether he had in any way intimated that Prof. Bonebrake must "see" him or any one else in order to hold his position. Prof. Bonebrake replied that he received no such intimation.

In order to show his own entire innocuousness, McInerny concluded with the query, "Did you not hear at one time that I was about as much use on the Board of Education as a fifth wheel on a coach?"

Strange to say the witness had never heard this said.

Judge Gottschalk asked a number of questions designed to show that Adams had never made any demand upon the witness for money.

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On redirect examination Mr. Gibbon sked: "Was it your impression that the blacklist mentioned by Adams was

the blacklist mentioned by Adams was prepared by persons having power to enforce it?"
"Yes, sir."
"By a majority of the board?"
"Yes, sir."
The witness said that it was because of Adams's statements that he asked Axtell how to insure his reappointment. Axtell did not deny that Adams was right in referring witness to him. Mr. Walk, representing the League for Pure City Government, asked whether witness had ever heard that the controlling element in the board consisted of Webb, Adams and Bartlett.

consisted to the control of the control of the control of Bartlett, but had heard Adams and Webb mentioned as controlling the board. He had heard others mentioned but refused to give their names. SUSPECTED MEMBERS HEARD FROM.

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"They have not materially changed,"
responded the witness calmly.
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Mr. Bartlett and myself as members
of the Teachers' Committee and asked
about your reappointment?"
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were acquainted with some of my
friends who were very influential, and
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you thought I would be reëlected. You said my work was satisfactory. Though also frank, Mr. Bartlett was not so decided as you were."
Poor then took a turn at the witness. "You said that you talked with me about your reappointment and that I referred you to Adams. Is it not possible that I said Mathis, not Adams, and that you misunderstood me?"
I think not," said the witness. POOR EXPLAINS. POOR EXPLAINS.

Poor explained that last year he heard some criticisms upon Prof. Bonebrake's work from patrons of the heard some criticisms upon Prof.
Bonebrake's work from patrons of the school, and he had therefore desired a change. He had made up his mind to put Prof. Henry in Prof. Bonebrake's place, but the former concluded he did not want it. Poor said that as he remembered the conversation as to which Prof. Bonebrake testified, he referred the professor to Dr. Mathis, thinking that he might get the San Pedro-street school.

Conrey interrupted Poor with the inquiry, "Did you ever call the attention of the Teachers' Committee to the change you wished to make?"

"I think I did," replied Poor, "though I am not sure." Poor concluded with a statement that he was glad that Prof. Bonebrake had been retained, for since his reappointment there had been nothing but commendation of his work.

Dr. Mathis said after the meeting that members of the board did not control the appointment of teachers in their own wards, as stated by Poor.

The investigation will be resumed at 7:15 o'clock this evening, and will probably be held in the Council Chamber at the City Hall.

Charges Against Commissioner Smith WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Formal charges have been preferred with the

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STABBING OF HAMMOND.

CAPT. LTVERING PRICKS THE HANDS OF THE PRISONER.

Private Waddell Gives Testimony. Against the Army Officer-Objection to a Question as to Whether the Latter Swore.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Private Waddell was the first witness in the Lovering court-martial at Fort Sheridan today. He told of his being in tht guardroom October 8, and of hearing the sound of a struggle in the cell-room. He said he looked through the door and saw Hammond being dragged by the arms from his cell to the door, so he walked into the cell-room.

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"After you had gone into the cellroom, did you receive orders to stab Hammond with your bayonet?" the Judge Advocate asked.

"I received orders from the officer of the day, Capt. Lovering, to fix my "I received orders from the officer of the day, Capt. Lovering, to fix my bayonet and to prod the prisoner. Before this, Hammond had been dragged back to his cell and I went to him. I told him my orders, and he replied that I could run my bayonet through him—he did not propose to move. This was reported to Capt. Lovering, who told me to wait for a moment and then he sent Sergeant Brainerd for a rope."

"What then did you do?" asked the Judge Advocate.

"I put my bayonet to Hammond's side and stood guard over him while Brainerd went for the rope."

Judge Advocate Hunter was eurious to know who tied Hammond's feet together and how the proceeding was conducted, so he inquired if the witness remembered anything of the circumstances.

"A non-commissioned officer whose name I do not know tied the rope, while I sat on Hammond to keep him on the ground," said Waddell.

"Were you present at the dragging?"

"Yes," Waddell answered, "I helped drag Hammond for twenty yards."

The first interruption occurred at this point, when a member of the court insisted that defendant's counsel should be sustained in his objection to the question of whether Capt. Lovering used an oath in his command to Hammond.

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"I merely wanted to ascertain the state of Capt. Lovering's temper at the time of the affair," said Col. Hunter, so Attorney Blair announced that he would withdraw the objection. Col. Hunter was preparing to ask another question when he was interrupted by Capt. Hunter, his namesake of the Third Regiment.

"I shall renew that objection," said the eaptain, as he straightened in his chair. "I fail to see that it makes material difference to this court or to the accused whether he uses profane language or not." The Judge Advocate was apparently surprised, for he looked up suddenly and stared for an lastant.

was apparently surprised, for he looked up suddenly and stared for an lastant at Capt. Hunter. Then he smiled, and remarked that in that event he would

not press the question. Waddell was then asked about Capt. Lovering's stabbing Hammond with his own sword, while on the way from the guardhouse to the summary court. the guardhouse to the summary court. The witness stated that Hammond had been prodded both before and after he left the guardhouse. The presiding officer, Gen. Wade, here interrupted and asked in what part of the body Hammond had been stabbed while on his way. Waddell said the the prisoner had been stabbed in the hand. his way. Waddell said the the pris-oner had been stabbed in the hand. "Where was his hand?" said Gen.

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Wade.
"His hands were crossed behind his
head to keep it from dragging on the
ground," said Waddell.
"Are you certain that the thrust was
made for the hand, or was it for the
shoulder?" asked Gen. Wade.
"I think Capt. Lovering meaut to
stab Hammond on the hands."
The witness thus gave the members
of the court the impression that Lovering had tried to make the prisoner
uncross his hands, so that his head
would drag on the ground. Private
Waddell was then excused.

HAMMOND'S STORY.

IASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT. CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Private Charles Hammond, was the principal witness in the Lovering court-martial today. "What orders did you receive on the morning of October 9? And relate what followed," Hammond was asked. "I was told that I was wanted at the summary courtroom, but I said that I would not go, and after that message had been repeated to Capt. Lovering he came to my cell and told me to get out and walk. He gave the order, "Yank that man out," when I again refused, and when I was part way out of the cell door he prodded me twice with his sword, and then stepped past me into the cell and kicked me in the shoulders. He Hammond, was the principal witness

McInerny, who had been thinking or of oundly for some time, inquired:
"Now, Prof. Bonebrake, what are your feelings and suspicions now as to whether I wanted your money?"
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Stepped was it was low on the floor and gave me two more prods in the left side, He also gave me another order to walk, but I did not answer. Then the rope was tied upon my feet. Then the rope was tied upon my feet. Then the rope was tied upon my feet. "When you refused to walk to the court, did anyone ask you for your reasons?" was the next query of the court,

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"Members of the guard asked me," replied Hammond, "and I told them I thought I ought to be tried for the first offense before I was tried for the second. The first offense was that of leaving my barracks at Plattsburg, N. Y., without leave."

"You say you were stabbed six times?" was asked. "Were those stabs mere pin scratches, or are you scarred for life?"
"I will bear the marks to my grave,"

for life?"

"I will bear the marks to my grave," replied Hammond.

The attorney for the captain expressed a desire to see the scars, and Hammond bared his limbs and exhibited four marks, two on each thigh, to the court. One of the others was on his right hand and a minor one is on the shoulder.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The examination of J. Waldere Kirk, accused of shooting Richard Mandelbaum, November 13, at a hotel in this city, was postoned in Police Court today on account of Mandelbaum's still feeble condition. The ball has not been extracted from Mandelbaum's chest, and he will not be able to appear in court for at least two weeks, although his condition is not serious.

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 23,—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'alock a.m. the barometer registered 30.01; at 5 p.m., 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 55 deg. and 60 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 70 per cent.; 5 p.m., 86 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 73 deg.; minimum temperature, 60 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level. Comparative Temperatures.— Maximum temperature, November 21; minimum

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Cincinnati ... 48 . 30

Weather Conditions.-The storm which Weather Conditions.—The storm which appeared off the Northern California coast yesterday morning has moved inland, and is central this morning in Western Nevada, accompanied by cloudy weather with rain. General rains have fallen as far south as the San Joaquin Valley, mostly light in character. Rain is falling this morning in Central California and in the San Joaquin Valley, but there are no positive indications of it extending southward. No material change has southward. No material change has tending southward. No material change has occurred it temperature on the Pacific Slope, except at San Luis Obispo and Fresno, where the weather is much warmer. Temperatures below zero continue in the Upper Missouri Valley, and freezing weather prevails from

Colorado to the Missouri River.
Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Generally fair weather tonight and Wednesday, but possibly unsettled

tonight. WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—For Southern California: Rain in the northern portion early Wednesday morning; fair Wednesday; weaterly wind.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Evidence against "Poker" Davis and his gang has a peculiar trick of be-coming "insufficient" after a victim has passed through the hands of detectives and prosecutors and been delivered to the bunco thieves to be squared. The latest case against Davis has proved latest case against proven to be the same old farce. The next "sucker" who "hollers" should be locked up until the trial, and no opportunity should be given to the gang to tamper with his memory.

namer states that a number of Los Angeles persons, whose names cannot be learned, have evolved a plan to establish a whaling station there, and carry on the trade in sperm oil and whalebone on a large scale. It is added that found secret." Why there should be any secret about the business is not clear. It is not understood that there is any close season for whales in Southern California.

A Riverside paper employs a re-porter who has imagination enough to outfit half a dozen novelists of the ro-mantic school. His latest work of fiction is the assertion that the police have run Poker Davis out of Los An-geles, and he adds that they "had great difficulty" in performing that feat. Poker Davis is still in Los Angeles, and the police have had no difficulty at all in running him out—they :ever have attempted to make Los Angeles unat-tractive to him as a field of operation. The genial old man is still doing the best he can.

#### M'DONALD CAPTURED.

THE ALLEGED DOWNEY RAVISHER IN CUSTODY.

Constable Tryce of Ventura Found Him Out Through Newspaper Publicity—The Prisoner Owns Up to His Identity.

John McDonald, the Downey negro who is accused of debauching his 14-year-old step-daughter, is under arrest at Ventura. His capture was effect yesterday afternoon by Constable Tryce of the bean metropolis, who promptly reported the matter to Sheriff

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Not only does the man described by Constable Tryce in his report exactly fit the description of the man wanted, but he admits his identity and will be brought back to the scene of his alleged crime to answer for it.

According to the telephone report, Constable Tryce read the description of the negro in Tuesday morning's Times, and recollected seeing such a man passing through Ventura in the direction of a grading camp on the new Ventura and Ojai Valley Railroad. The constable proceeded to the camp, about ten miles out of town, and found McDonald enrolled as one of the laborers. He had no trouble in picking out the man by the published description.

A description of the culprit was furnished The Times, with a request to publish, by the Sheriff's office, in the hope that it might result in his apprehension, and in this the officers were not mistaken. The police department of this city was informed of the alleged crime, and supplied with a description of the man wanted as early as last Saturday, but the information was carefully withheld from the press by the detectives, for no apparent reason other than fear that some outside officers might be placed on the alert and receive credit for the capture.

Sheriff Burr will send a deputy to Ventura tomorrow to bring McDonald back to this county.

#### THE FIRE CHIEF RESCUED. Got Tangled Up With Two Live

Wires on the Street.

Fire Chief Moore was rescued from a perilous predicament on Spring street at 10 o'clock last night. The rescue was effected in a manner that was more fun than a fire for the spectators. In a moment of abstraction the Chief had become tangled up with a live wire—rather two live wires, one on each side—and was walking along all unconscious of his peril, when his rescuer came swiftly upon the scene. It was a still alarm, and the Chief was taken by surprise. The rescue was effected in a manner highly creditable to the executive capacity of the lady who played the part of heroine and seemed to consider what she did a mere matter of duty.

There was a sound of bumping heads, a faw feminte squawks, the buzzing of an alarm in the Chief's ears, and he was safely landed in a coupé and started homeward before he knew what had happened.

At a lafe hour last night the Chief had recovered from the shock sufficiently to use a telephone, but he was a sittle wandering in his mind. He seemed to be laboring under the hallucination that he had been out of town and had just returned, but he said he was resting comfortably, and did not think the buzzing in his aars would prevent him from hearing a general alarm. He could not remember the names of the live wires.

#### SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Night Dispatches Condensed.

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At New Orleans, yesterday, there were only three scattered cases of yellow fever.

Harry C. Pisk, a well-known theatrical manager of Washington, died yesterday, age is years, after a long illness from a complication of diseases.

The newspapers of Berlin report that Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of Emperor William, is take command of the German squadron in Chinese waters.

A Montreal dispatch says the stables of Cyrille Laurin were burned yesterday, together with several valuable horses. Anti-dote, record 2:11½, valued at \$20,000, was among the number.

A Baltimore dispatch says George J. Appold, aged 77 years, president of the Merchanits' and Miners' Transportation Company and the Howard Oak Leather Company, died of heart disease yesterday.

At Chicago, late yesterday afternoon, it was announced that Friday another reduction would be made in the rates, the new first-class rate from Chicago to Denver being \$1.02. The last reduction was to \$1.19. Other classes are reduced proportionately.

At the Pitsburgh Methodist Episcopal congress, yesterday, the afternoon session was devoted to reading of papers on "The Catholic Spirit in Methodism." In the evening J. M. Buckley, D.D., of New York, delivered an interesting lecture on "John Wessendon of the London Times predicts that

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An authority cited by the Vienna correspondent of the London Times predicts that the adoption of the silver dollar as the standard coin from the North Pole to Patagonia would be a powerful lever in the realization of the Pan-American programme of the politicians of the United States.

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An unknown schooner was caught in a furious gaie in Gardner's Bay, L. I., yesterdsy
afternoon, and was driven on a bar about
three miles off shore. The men at Rock Point
Life-saving Station pulled off to her, but up
to a late hour no news had been obtained as
to whether or not they had again landed.

Rt. Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, president of
the Board of Trade, made an important
speech before the Chamber of Commerce of
Croydon. Eng., yesterday, taking as his
theme the decline of British exports during
the last ten months, upon which he hung a
grave warning against American competition
now "ousting British trade."

The opening session of the general synod
of Prussia was held in Berlin yesterday. The
meeting will extend over a fortnight. The
synod will discuss, among other things, the
question of the employment in universities
of liberal theologians. It proposes to protest
against dueling, and will urge the enforcement of stricter observance of the Sabbath.

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of liberal theologians. It proposes to protest against dueling, and will urge the enforcement of stricter observance of the Sabbath. The first payment of \$13,645,250 to the government on account of the purchase of the Union Pacific Railroad was cleared yesterday, atomatical as the cashier's checks on the National and the halong to the oher national banks which they do not be read to the proceeds of the sale.

An East Liverpool (O.) dispatch says the fact was made known yesterday that the eastern parties who are backing the proposed cories in the order of the sever-pipe manufactories in the country into sever-pipe manufactories in the country. J. P. Morgan & Co. agree to advance \$1,000,000 cash and to buy out two-thirds of each plant.

The Chicago and Northwestern road gave notice at Chicago, yesterday, that it had found it necessary to apply to the Missouri River gateways the rate made by the Wisconsin Central between St. Paul and Minneapolis and Chicago. The Northwestern says that it has found it necessary to apply to the Missouri River gateways the rate made by the Wisconsin Central between St. Paul roads is settled in the near future, it will mean that the local rates between Chicago and the Missouri River will be reduced accordingly.

General Agent McAllister of the Morgan steamship Line and Southern Pacific to Penver and South, in connection with the Union Pa

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone arrived in London esterday on their way to Cannes. At Mobile, Ala., one new case and no deaths was the record of the fever yesterday.

Ill for some time past, his death was unexpected.

The available cash balance yesterday in the treasury was increased by \$13,445,259, making the total \$215,503,585. The increase was the amount received on account of the sales of the bonds in the sinking fund of the Union Pacific.

Consul Boyle, at Liverpool, has sent to the State Department a report on the subject of the extension of the docks at Liverpool. The system will cost over \$21,500,000. The Consul says it has been decided to spend \$7,500,000 for dock and harbor improvements.

According to a special dispatch to London from Berlin, the German government considers the land occupied by the forces of Germany in Shan Tun province, China, is insufficient for a naval station, and proposes to enlarge its holdings there, "diplomatically if possible."

In a report to the State Department, Consul

fortress and labor on the extensive improvements now goin on in the building of docks and other government works.

A Clinton (Iowa) dispatch says that while the parents were absent vesterday, Agnes, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Earstrow of Lyons got hold of some matches and her clothing caught fire. She was burned to death. An infant in the cradle was also severely burned. The residence escaped destruction.

Consul-General Patton, at Calcutta, in a

escaped destruction.

Consul-General Patton, at Calcutta, in a report to the State Department, says it is estimated that the jute crop of India this year will be 8,800,000 bales, of 400 pounds each, of which about three million six hundred thousand bales will be available for export. He says manufacturers may look for low prices for raw material.

At Altoons, vesterday, the miners chose

At Altoona, yesterday, the miners chose Braley permanent president Warner permanent secretary, M. D. Ratchford, president of the United Mine-workers of America, delivered an address, in which he said the only way miners could be sure of good wages was to strike, and deplete the market of soal and the up the markets of the country.

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A dispatch from New York says Fritz Meyers, alias Constantine Steiger, who was convicted of the murder of Policeman Frederick, was yesterday sentenced to be electrocuted during the week beginning January 10. Hefore going to court, Meyers was visited in his cell by a priest, his wife and his sister, and to them he confessed, as he had done before, that he was guilty of the crime for which he was convicted.

Grief and chagrin over the disgrace of his father, Charles M. Charnley, according to his friends, drove to suicide James Charnley, who was found in his room in the Hotel Pfester, Milwaukee, with a bullet hole in his head. Charles M. Charnley was formerly president of the Presbyterian Board of, Ald for Colleges, and after his arrest disappeared last summer, short some \$60,000 of the funds entrusted to him. This weighed heavily on the son's mind, and it is said for some time the young man had been ill.

A dispatch from Kingman, Kan., says that Alvah Hooken, the young catile-trief who held up three officers who had arrested him at Emporia last week, and escaped, was captured at Cheney Monday night. He was discovered on the blind baggage when the train left Goddard. Word was sent to Cheney, where three officers with Winchesters got the drop on the young desperado and made him hand over three revolvers. Kooken was sent to the reform school over five years ago, and is not over 21 years old. He served a term of two years in the penitentiary.

Gov. Jones of Arkansas wires the Atlanta Journal that he will give a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Lymbert of the penitentiary.

A pension claim which has been pending twenty-seven years, and which would carry back pay of-\$55.000 for alleged total blindeness due to a disease of the eyes contracted during the military service in 1864. The claimant was discharged fr



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PEDRO HARBOR PASSED OVER

West Point Can Accommodate More Other Things Needed-A Me-

WITHOUT COMMENT.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON. Nov. 18.—In his annual report recently made public, Secretary of War Alger embodies the reports of the heads of several departments, and adds thereto such remarks and recommendations as seem to him appropriate. Of Gen. Miles's plea for receiver defenses. Secretary Alger says: and recommendations as sections as recommendations as sections appropriate. Of Gen. Miles's plea for greater defenses, Secretary Alger says:

"It is earnestly urged that his recommendation concerning two additional regiments of artillery be favorably considered. We are erecting great seacoast batteries, as he says, without men to man them. These costly works should, as soon as completed, be manned by a sufficient force to care for and preserve them, and to become familiar with the handling of the guns; the manipulation of which requires experienced services, to be ready at all times to operate them. A visit to any of these batteries must convince any practical mind of the necessity for immediate action in this matter. A battery costing from \$100,000 to \$500,000 ought not to be manned by a corporal's guard." MILITARY ATTACHES.

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MILITARY ATTACHES.

It is found upon a full investigation, Secretary Alger says, that the military attachés to the different embassles and foreign courts have much higher rank than those from the United States, which places us at a great disadvantage in cases of ceremony. Even small countries send officers with the rank corresponding with that of lieutenant-colonel, colonel, and even brigadier-general, and they take precedence in all matters of ceremony. The cost of living is greatly increased, also, at those stations. He says: "It seems to me to be unjust to our officers. I therefore recommend that the military attachés to the different embassies be given the rank and pay, while serving, of colonel, and that the attachés at legations be given the rank and pay of lieutenant-colonel while serving, or at least the rank and pay of major."

INSTITUTIONS.

INSTITUTIONS. Of the excellent condition of the home in the District of Columbia for soldiers of the regular army, he

home in the District of Columbia for soldiers of the regular army, he says it is due in large measure to the wise management of the board of commissioners, consisting of the general commanding the army, the surgeon-general, the commissary-general, the adjutant-general, the quartermaster-general, the judge-advocate-general, and the governor of the home.

The military acasemy at West Point can accommodate more students and if provision is made for two additional regiments of artillery, as recommended, the army can absorb more of its graduates. The superintendent recommends legislation to authorize the appointment of two cadets at large from each State, to be nominated by Senators. This would give ninety cadets more than at present. It is desirable that there should be no surplus graduates and the Secretary recommends as an alternative that the President be authorized to appoint ten cadets at large each year. This would be an excess of thirty cadets over the number now authorized.

The senior assistant in the department of practical military engineering, the Secretary says, should be allowed the pay of a captain mounted, thus placing him on an equal footing with the senior assistant in all the other departments. For the military reasons stated in the foregoing letter, the master of the sword should be given the rank, pay and emoluments of a first lieutenant of infantry. The master of the sword, a civillian, receives \$1500; a first lieutenant of infantry the same; the only difference, apart from military reasons would be the allowance of the grade.

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The fact that of the total number of The fact that of the total number of applicants for enlistment. 41,058 have been rejected, and \$255 accepted, shows the care exercised in the selection of recruits for the army. The necessity for legislation to provide a proper system of ordinary criminal jurisdiction in military reservations, to amend the summary-court act, and to leave to the discretion of the Secretary of War the designation of the amount of the reward for the apprehension of deserters is fully stated in the report of the judge-advocate-general, and the Secretary expresses the hope that his recommendations may receive favorable action at the coming session of Congress.

A hall of records becomes more and crease in the appropriation for army transportation is necessary to move leavy ordnance, guns and gun car-riages, including mortars. The esti-nate is \$2,500.000, an increase of \$100, 1000 over the current appropriation. An increase is also necessary in the appropriation for military posts, to probarracks and quarters for a num her of new posts on the seacoast, and to enlarge others. The present appro-priation is \$420.000, and the estimate submitted is for \$2.000.000, an increase of \$1.580.000.

the amounts asked for are

"While the amounts asked for are large, the greatest care to confine the expenditure to the minimum will be observed," adds Secretary Alger.

Relief work done along the Mississippi River during the overflow is commended. The total cost was \$77.102.19. The surgeon-general recommends a return to the former practice of providing public quarters for a stated number of married men in each branch of the army. This on account of the unsanitary condition of their present quarters at many posts. The Secretary says that while there is force in his suggestion, the enlistment of married men is discountenanced, because of the frequent liability to change of station, and to build quarters as recommended would add largely to the expense and indirectly encourage that which is not favored by the military authorities. The subsistence and medical departments submit favorable reports on the emergency ration, after a practical test in the field.

Legislation to relieve paymasters and other officers from amounts disallowed by the Auditor under a recent decision of the Comptroller relative to travel over certain roads known as "50 percent, rallroads" is earnestly recommended.

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

Act of June 4, 1887, and the Deficiency Act of July 19, 1887, the former providing \$19,121,412.91 and the latter \$1,211,000 for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1897 and 1898. The total estimate submitted for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, for continuous work authorized by Congress and by the Secretary of War is \$18,038,007.56. None of this amount has yet been expended, but, as permitted by law, a portion of it has possibly been earned by contractors in advance of its appropriation. The items making up this amount are such as Congress has authorized to be expended during the year ending June 30, 1899, at the various localities for which continuing work is authorized, and Congress has virtually pledged itself to provide the amounts for which requisition is made.

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"In addition to the estimate submitted for work under continuing contracts, an estimate is presented for the construction and maintenance of works which have been authorized by Congress, but not provided for by such continuing contracts, amounting to \$30,650,153. The items making up this amount are those presented for the various works by the engineer officers in local charge as the amounts that should be appropriated, under the law requiring that the amount shall be stated which can be profitably expended in carrying on the projects adopted by Congress, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899. The use of the estimates of the local officers in making up this total is in accordance with your instructions, and the estimates are submitted in accordance with the requirements of sections 2 of the River and Harbor acts of 1866 and 1867, and the Sundry Civil Act of June 4, 1897, which provide:

"'And it shall be the duty of the said Secretary... and he shall accompany said report with a statement of the amount and date of all former appropriations for each work, and a full estimate for its entire and permanent completion, with the amount that can be profitably expended in the next fiscal year... (Act of June 23, 1866, and repeated in act of March 2, 1867.) .... And hereafter the Secretary of War shall annually submit estimates in detail for river and harbor improvements required for the ensuing fiscal year to the Secretary of the Treasury, to be included in, and carried into the sum total of, the Book of Estimates. (Sundry Civil Act of June 4, 1897.)

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"The act of June 3, 1896, authorized the Secretary of War to enter into contract for the completion of a num ber of works, and contracts have al ready been made, or the required pre liminary steps to that end have been authorized, excepting in two instances as follows: Improving Yaquina Bay Oregon, continuing improvement, \$25, at cost not to exceed \$1,000,000 continuous contracts authorized ing mouth of Yazoo River and Harbo at Vicksburg, Miss.; continuous con tracts authorized not to exceed \$860,

SAN PEDRO HARBOR. "The act of June 3, 1896, provided for the appointment of a board to examine and report as to location for a deep

the appointment of a board to examine and report as to location for a deepwater harbor for commerce and of refuge at Port Los Angeles, in Santa Monica Bay, or at San Pedro, Cal. This board was duly constituted, and its report, submitted to Congress, was printed in Senate Doc. No. 18, Ffty-fifth Congress, first session. The board reported in favor of locating the harbor at San Pedro, and the Secretary of War, under the terms of the act, has given instructions for action preliminary to the publishing of advertisement inviting bids for the work."

Secretary Alger, in discussing the Chief of Engineers' report, avoids all reference to San Pedro. Of the work of the corps, he says. The time seems to have arrived when an increase in the number of officers and enlisted men of that corps is indispensable. The immense work intrusted to a few men is overtaxing, and it is believed a great saving of money in securing efficient and thorough work by contractors in fulfillment of their contracts would be effected by detailing a young officer to remain on each work under construction or improvement to see that day by day all material as purchased, both in quality and quantity, and according to specifications, is furnished. It is absolutely impossible for one man, having a large number of works a long distance apart, to constantly supervise the construction of improvements in his charge. This is one special reason why it is believed that an increase of cadets at West Polnt will be beneficial, as more than formerly can be assigned to the engineer corps and profitably employed."

The experiment of detailing signal

SIGNAL SERVICE. The experiment of detailing signal detachments for duty with troops in the field, having proved successful, will be extended as needed. The Chief Sigbe extended as needed. The Chief Sig-nal Officer, in continuance of experi-mental work with military balloons, asks an appropriation of \$10,000 for the purpose. The Secretary commends it, as also the estimate of \$20,000 for cable systems for the harbors of New York, Boston and San Francisco.

WAR RECORDS. The work of carding the rolls of the revolutionary war and the war of 1812 has devolved much additional labor upon the Record and Pension Office, as has also the compilation of the records of the revolutionary war, under the provisions of the act of August 16, 1894. The Secretary of War says it is gratifying that, notwithstanding this labor, the current work of the office has been fully kept up, thus attesting the excellence of the system observed in that office. The report of the War Records Office affords the intelligence that with the close of the present fiscal year the entire series of records relating directly to battles and campaigns will have been printed and distributed. It is recommended that authority be granted to distribute the incomplete sets of the work, of which there are about sixty thousand volumes now stored in the department, occupying space much needed for other purposes. The work of carding the rolls of the

Secretary Alger says that as yet no secretary Alger says that as yet no provision has been made for the erection of a statue to Gen. Grant, and he renews the recommendation of his predecessor, that Congress make provision for the erection of a suitable statue or memorial to "that illustrious officer".

DONATIONS FOR THE POOR.

supplies for Thanksgiving Distribu-All supplies for the Thanksgiving dinner for the poor should be left as early as possible this morning at No. 619 South Broadway, from which place they will be distributed by the proper committees. All the officers of charitable institutions are requested to be in attendance at the rooms mentioned to aid in properly apportioning and distributing the donations. Up to last night the school children alone had gathered together thirty-five wagon loads of all sorts of good things to eat. clothing, etc., for the needy. Those in charge of the distribution say there cannot be too much of Thanksgiving donated, and ask for more contributions. tion Go to 619 South Broadway.

ABBOTT AGAIN.

THIS TIME FRED SULLIVAN TRIES TO SHOOT HIM.

aloon Row in Which George Abbot Whose Life Was Attempted Last Week by His Younger Brother, Narrowly Escapes a Bullet.

George Abbott seems to be as hard to hit as a clay pigeon. His younger brother, Frank, is awaiting the decision of Justice Morrison in his examination on a charge of assault to murder, for firing two shots from a revolver at George a week ago. Sunday night a young man named Fred Sullivan took a shot at George at close quarters, but again he escaped without a scratch. scratch.

The shooting Sunday night occurred

In the Cunningham saloon at the cor-ner of Commercial and Los Angeles streets. Fred Sullivan and Jack Trainor were standing before the bar, drinking, when George Abbott entered. With an imprecation, he demanded to know why they drank without him. Sullivan then quietly asked Abbott to have something to drink, and that young man promptly got outside of a glassful of whiskey. Then he turned to Sullivan with the remark that he could whip him in a square fight in a remarkably short time. Sullivan acquiesced but said he didn't want to fight. The puglistically-inclined Abbott then struck the peaceful Sullivan. Trainor started after Abbott with a cane, but the bartende happened around the corner of the bart just in time to have the heavy stick descend upon his head. Pandemonium reigned, and in the turmoll Abbott is said to have reached for his revolver. Sullivan jumped behind the bar and seized a revolver which was lying on a shelf. Before Abbott could get his gun out, Sullivan fired, but the bullet passed to the right of his head, through a pane of glass in the window, and buried itself in the Cohen building on the opposite corner of the street. Abbott ran away, and no arrests were made. The shooting occurred at about 11 o'clock at night, which is a fortunate circumstance, as a 38-caliber bullet careening around in the street at an earlier hour might have killed some unfortunate passerby. drinking, when George Abbott en-tered. With an imprecation, he de-

BOXERS' NIGHT.

Parker Knocks Elmer Out in Less Than Two Rounds.

A boxing exhibition was given last night by the Athletic Club. The at

A boxing exhibition was given last night by the Athletic Club. The attendance was not very large. Fake managers and fake fighters can get big crowds into a hall, swindle them to a finish and get enough money to tempt somebody in the scheme to skip with the receipts, but when a reputable club gives an honest exhibition the crowd is conspicuous by its absence. Lack of sufficient advertising, however, may account in some degree for the many empty seats in the gymnasium last night.

The preliminary events last night afforded more entertainment than the main event. S. Brown and R. Seelander as a some exhibition of catch-ascatch-can wrestling. Brown won the first fall in 7m. 40s., and Seelander won the second in 5m. 47s.

Bob Thompson, a colored fighter, and Phil Green boxed or slugged ten rounds. Thompson is a rusher and a clever dodger. Green is a new hand in the ring, but a match in all but strength for boxers of the Thompson closs. He knocked Thompson down several times and punished him perceptibly, but in the hard rallies Thompson's superior strength told. The boxing was not scientific. It was slugging, pure and simple. Thompson got the decision, although honors seemed to be pretty nearly even, and Porter, the club ban-

very promising."
Graham and Porter, the club ban-

"very promising."

Graham and Porter, the club bantams, boxed four rounds for the club trophy. Their work was clean, skillful and fast. The bout was a draw, and the club will be obliged to give two medals.

The main event was announced to be a fifteen-round contest between Kid Parker and Billy Elmer, welterweights, for a purse of \$500. It lasted less than two rounds. At the start Elmer seemed to be the straighter hitter and cleaner boxer, and had he been a ring general and a fighter he should have won the battle. Parker adopted unfair tactics from the start, and in the first clinch jammed the heel of his glove into Elmer's face and pressed his head back in spite of the referee's commands to break. Parker "roughed" it at every opportunity. He is not a clever boxer, but is a bulldog rusher, depending upon hammer-and-tongs slugging in a mix-up. Elmer was not general enough to hold him off, but allowed him to get into close quarters, and that was disastrous to Elmer. Parker lowed him toget into close quarters, and that was disastrous to Elmer. Parker knocked Elmer down twice in the first round, and only the call of time saved the actor-puglist. The second round was brief and torrid. Elmer went down twice, and the second time he was too slow in arising from his knees to his feet and was declared out just as he straightened out his leg to get up. He looked surprised and grieved, but it was just as well for him that the timekeeper was unusually prompt, for lowed him to get into close quarters, and timekeeper was unusually prompt, for he would have been laid out cold in an-

COURSING MEET.

List of Bogs Entered for Thanksgiving Day.

At a meeting of the Los Angeles Coursing Club, at No. 143 South Broadway, last even-ing, the drawing of the dogs for the Thenkestying day counsiles. Thanksgiving day coursing meet was held. There was a full attendance of the members. Following is a complete list of the dogs entered and their own-

	Italian GirlJohn Anderson
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other officers from amounts disallowed by the Auditor under a recent decision of the Comptroller relative to travel over certain roads known as "50 per cent. railroads" is carnestly recommended.

ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.

In the comprehensive report of Gen. John M. Wilson, Chief of Engineers, the following, which is significant as bearing on the San Pedro Harbor question, is found:

"Since the last report was submitted appropriations for rivers and harbors have been made by the Sundry Civil

members of the Central Council are:
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Pridham, W. C. Patterson, John Cross,
H. Jevne, J. C. Kays, A. W. Francisco,
H. W. Frank, B. Hayman, H. Newmark, Miss M. F. Wills.

Exports from New York, NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Exports of general merchandise from this port for the week ending today were valued at \$10,041,468, against \$7,478,068 in the preceding week, and \$7,721,265 in the corresponding week of last year; since January 1, \$350,628.889 at 10,227,228 for the corresponding period of lest year.

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#### A BOGUS BOND DEAL.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO BUNCO OTTO CYTRON.

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What appears to have ben a bold ttempt to swindle a Los Angeles business man through a bogus bond trans-action was frustrated yesterday through the foresight of the intended victim, who took the precaution to in-vestigate the worth of the paper of-

The intended victim was Otto Cytron proprietor of a well-stocked cigar store at the corner of Main and Court streets. His would-be despoilers, according to Mr. Cytron's statement, were Eugene B. Stork and Walter L. Hastings.

The two last-named men called at Mr. Cytron's place of business last Satstand well at Cytron

urday afternoon. Stork presented his business card, which advertised him as president of the National Real Estate and Commercial Exchange, whose "standard of solvency," according to the card, is \$1,000,000. Hastings was the card, is \$1,000,000. Hastings was introduced as a wealthy Mexican mineowner, who had come to Los Angeles for his health, but who, not wishing to be idle, desired to invest in some profitable business.

owner, who had come to be lide, desired to invest in some profitable business.

Wax Mr. Cytron's cigar store for sais? Yes, he would sell his retail department, as he was desirous of devoting his entire attention to manufacturing. The price demanded was \$1500.

Hastings and Stork both agreed that the location was first-class. There was a large show window, which was admirably adapted to making a display of Mr. Hastings's valuable mineral specimens. He did not care for the cigar business, but the corner was just the place for a big mining man like himself to have his headquarters.

The price named by Mr. Cytron was satisfactory, but the intending purchaser had not brought so much ready cash with him from Mexico. He had with him, however, a Mexican bond of the vintage of 1865. The principal of the bond was \$1000, and there were attached twenty-six coupons of \$35, which, with accrued interest, would make the whole bond worth about \$2700 at the present time, principal and interest being payable in gold coin at the Commercial National Bank of New York. Hastings offered this bond to Cytron in exchange for the store.

Mr. Cytron was anxious to sell out, and the bond offer was a tempting one, but long years of business experience has made him cautious in dealing with strangers. He thought it rather strange that Hastings should be willing to exchange so valuable a gold bond form you condition that the bond be left in his possession until he had time to investigate its genuineness. The fairness of this proposition seemed to be findisputable, so there was nothing for Stork and Hastings to do but acquiesce, sithough they were profuse in their assurances that the bond was all right.

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It was after banking hours on Saturday when the bond was placed in Mr. Cytron's hands, so he could not get a banker's opinion before Monday. On Monday he took the bond to the First National Bank, whose officials did not know of any uncancelled Mexican honds of the issue of 1865 outstanding. A description of the questionable security was, however, telegraphed to the First. National Bank of New York, which replied yesterday to the effect that the bond was in all probability worthless.

worthless.

About 9:80 o'clock Monday evening, before Mr. Cytron had fully satisfied himself as to the value of the bond, fre was astonished to have Stork come to his store and demand possession. Stork said:

"You have a valuable document of ours for which you have given no receipt or equivalent of any kind. I, therefore, demand the keys of this establishment and the contents of the last clear of the last contents. The contents of the last clear of the last contents. The last clear of the last contents of the last clear of the l

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therefore, demand the keys of this establishment and the contents of the cash drawer."

Cytron refused to accede to this enecky request and Stork then demanded the return of the bond, but it was locked in the First National Bank and could not be had before the opening of the bank on Tuesday morning. When the telegram from New York, discrediting the worth of the bond. was received yesterday, Cytron took the piece of paper out of the bank with the fatention of returning it to Hastings and calling the deal off.

Hastings showed up in person at Cytron's store yesterday morning, and demanded possession. Cytron, who had by this time made up his mind that a bunco game was being worked on him, told Hastings to take his bond and get out of the place if he valued his personal safety. Hastings tried some buildozing tactics, but when he saw Cytron warming up, he left the bond in Cytron's hands and decamped. Stork came around later to insist on the transfer of the property, but when Cytron put on his hat and announced that he was going to see the District Attorney about the matter, Stork took his departure.

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that he was going to see the District Attorney about the matter, Stork took his departure.

Cytron went to the District Attorney's office, but could get no complaint. The next move on the part of the alleged conspirators was to send a man named Steele around to stand guard over the place. Steele was warned off by a policeman.

The gang evidently had not yet given up hope of bluffing Mr. Cytron out of his property, for during the course of the afternoon a fellow named Moore, who formerly conducted a livery stable on San Pedro street, near Third, appeared at the store with an alleged bill of sale of the place and demanded that he be given possession. The bill of sale made it appear that Stork, on the 19th inst., transferred the cigar stand, to which he had no right or title whatever, to Hastings, who in turn transferred it to Moore.

Mr. Cytron's patience by this time was well nigh exhausted, and he called a policeman to look after Moore. The latter "skipped" unceremoniously like the rest after the officer warred him to make himself scarce in that neighborhood.

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make himself scarce in that neighborhood.

Mr. Cytron still has the bond, which Hastings abandoned, in his hands, not-withstanding the representations of its great value.

Stork, the man who engineered the deal, figured in a straw-bond transaction in this city some months ago. The million-dollar corporation of which he is president, according to his business card, has headquarters in the Narcisse House, near the Arcade Depot, a rather out-of-the-way location for such a gigantic enterprise. Storks credit, according to the statement of a police of the statement of the police of t

viable reputation in the business community.
Steele's identity has not yet been established, and it is not known whether he had a hand in the real game or was simply hired to 'stand in front of the place to intimidate the proprietor.

It is rumored that a Mexican bond swindle was successfully worked in San Diego a short sime ago, but whether the parties concerned in the transaction were the same who tried to make a deal with Mr. Cytron is not known.

## Gociety,

Los Angeles society has seldom assisted at so brilliant a coming-out reception as that at which Miss Ivy Schoder made her debut yesterday afternoon, under the chaperonage of Mrs. Richard Mercer. The affair was held at the residence of the charming débutante's father, Joseph Schoder, on West Seventh street, and from 2 until 5, the rooms were thronged with an elegrantly-gowned gathering of representative society women. Mmes. representative society women. Mmes. J. Ross Clark, Burdette Chandler, O. H. Churchill, Howard M. Sale and Ira O. Smith assisted in receiving, and the Misses Helen del Valle, Elisa Bonsall, O. Smith assisted in receiving, and the Misses Helen del Valle, Elisa Bonsall, Eva Keating, Gertrude Mason and Lilian Carlton presided over the punch room. Lowinsky's string quartette was stationed in the reception hall and rendered delightful music during the afternoon. Miss Schoder wore a dainty girlish gown of white organdie over white silk, garnitured with valenciennes lace and insertion, frilled about the shoulders, wrists and skirt, and finished with a stock and sash of white satin. The decorations throughout the house, which were the result of Mrs. Bancroft's artistic efforts, were exceptionally lovely. Everywhere were ropes and wreaths of smilax, forming graceful friezes about the walls, festoms from chandeliers to corners and furnishing an effective background for the flowers and ribbons with which it was arranged. The drawing-rooms were in rose-color and green; the chandeliers were shaded in the pretty color and massed with pink carnations, caught with long bows and streamers of satin ribbon of the same shade. Pink carnations, tied with knots of the ribbon, were fastened here and there among the smilax on the walls and about the mantel and piano. The punch room and reception hall were in white and green. In the former, ropes of smilax alternating with white satin ribbons, formed a canopy from the green-shaded chandeller to the walls, while about the mantel, buffet and table were white carnations, maidenhair and knots of white fibbon. Festoons of white ribbon, with smilax and papyrus decorated the hall. A recherché luncheon was served under the direction of Slaten, in two rooms on the second floor. One was strikingly decorated with French marigolds, yellow satin ribbons, smilax and yellow shades, while the other was gay with red satin ribbons and shades and masses of glowing red and yellow shades, while the other was gay with red satin ribbons and shades and masses of glowing red and yellow blossons. Those present were:

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Hastings is not unknown to the police and constabularly of the town, and those Mexican mines of his are believed to possess about as little value as his aniquated Mexican bond.

The man Moore, who holds the alleged bill of sale for Cytron's clars tore, does not appear to bear an enviable reputation in the business community.

History won the lady's prize, a Delft clock, and Will Bishop the gentleman's, a cut-glass ink well. A delictous supports the control of Reynolds, followed the games. Masses of chrysanthemums and potted palms and potted palms and potted palms. Besides, the club members, the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ezra T. Stimson, Mmes. J. S. Vosburg, Irons, Otheman Stevens, T. J. Fleming, Messers. Horace, Fred and Charles Henderson and J. E. Cook.

Miss Edna Bicknell gave a delightful musicale Monday evening at her home on South Hill Street. The programme, which was very enjoyably rendered, was participated in by the Misses Lila Jordan, Fannie Perry, Mmes. Modini-Wood and Schallert, Messrs. D. H. Morrison, Stevens and Arthur Perry and Miss Bicknell. A supper, for which Reynolds catered, followed. The drawing-rooms and library were prettilly decorated with yellow roses and foliage. The guests, in addition to those already mentioned, were Senator and Mrs. Meanth Mrs. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Cates, Mrs. D. H. Morrison, Miss Perry, Judge and Mrs. Bicknell and James Kenneally.

The ladies of St. John's Church will hold their seventh annual bazaar and narlor sale on November 30 December.

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parlor sale on November 30, December 1 and 2, in St. John's Hall, on Adams and Figueroa streets. Dinners will be served each evening from 5:30 to 8 o'clock, and instrumental music will be provided each evening. The proceeds will be used as the nucleus of a fund for the erection of a rectory.

The lotto party given by Miss Bessie Bonsall last evening at her home on South Grand avenue, in honor of Miss Beatrice Chandler of San Francisco, was a very delightful affair. The rooms were prettilly decorated with chrysanthemums, roses and California violets. The prizes, a Teplitz vase and a silver-mounted blotter, were won by Miss Landt and Mr. Wolters. The games were followed by a supper. Besides the guest of honor, there were present the Misses Minnle Prentiss, Kate Landt, Eleanor Pattee, Cochrane, Esther Cochrane, Eleanor Tüttle, Florence Jones, Fay, Cobleigh, Marie Burfiett, Lucile Daniel, Lou Winder, Messrs, John Mott, Barnwell, Fraser, Wolters, Dickinson, Garland, Witmer, Frank Schumacher, Arthur Schumacher, Arthur Schumacher, Arthur Schumacher, Frank Schumacher, Arthur Schumacher, Arthur Schumacher, Jr., and Gooding.

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Theta Psi, a fraternity which has recently been organized in the University of Southern California, gaye a pleasant reception to the faculty and friends of the fraternity Monday evening at the residence of Mr. Williams on Grand avenue. The parlors were artistically decorated with ribbons and flowers in the fraternity colors, pink and green. Music was furnished by guitar and mandolin players. Among those present were Prof. and Mrs. Stabler, Profs. Willis, Cook, Hoose and Hardle, Mmes. Parsons and Bryan, the Misses Phillips, Doyle, Hoose, Holman, Cook, Tilden, Rose, Haesilp, Dryer, Arnold, Hardle, Milliken, Creasinger, Kerr, Hatch and Williamson; Messrs. Walker, R. H. Crist, Lloyd, Christy, Philo Jones, F. T. Scott, A. H. Cogswell, Tebbetts, Lacy, McIntier, Martin and the members of the fraternity: Messrs. Brown, Leland, Miller, Van Den Bergh, Williams and Wood.

NOTES AND PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hammond are residing at No. 1333 Star street, near

Mrs. Loring and Miss Adelaide Lor-Mrs. Loring and Miss Adelaide Lor-ing have returned from San Diego and are at the Chrondon for the winter. Walter M. Rose has gone to San Francisco for an extended stay. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Muzzy of Gales-burg, Ill., are stopping at the Hollen-

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave P. Gehring of

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave P. Gehring of St. Louis have taken a house on Grand avenue near Fourth, for the winter.

A. F. M. Strong will leave in a few days to join his family, who are visiting in Kansas City.

George C. Gaskell has gone to Lankershim to spend Thanksgiving with friends.

Edward C. Kant, assistant in the Indian school at Perris, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush of Detroit. Mich., have taken the Strong residence on Alvarado street, for the winter.

An informal hop was given at the Clarendon Hotel last evening. Good music was furnished by a string orchestra, and a large number of friends of the guests in the house were present. The death of Miss Estelle Bean occurred at her home in Alhambra on Monday, after a two weeks' illness of typhoid fever.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—A dense fog is hanging over England today. Trains have been stopped by the darkness at many places, and navigation in the Channel is interfered with. Fog bells were sounded, and signal guns were fired at Dover all night.

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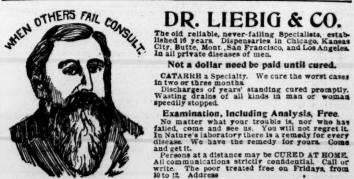
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#### BUSINESS.

#### FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Nov. 23, 1897.
CHEAPER MONEY. One of the tost encouraging signs of the times w is the greater abundance A year ago it was almost impossible to ket local financial institutions or capi-talists to look at outside property, but now even the conservative savings panks are loaning on good outside prop-rty where there is a fair margin.

#### COMMERCIAL.

THAT COAL COMBINE. Reference was recently made in this department to a combination among the wholesale coal dealers of San Francisco, regarding which some of the San Francisco
papers made a great noise, complaining that it was a scheme to cinch the
public. The Commercial Bulletin of San
Francisco gives the following information regarding this combine, which
puts quite a different interpretation on
the movement.

"The coal men of San Francisco have been misrepresented by a portion of the press of this city because of the fact that the latter do not understand the situation. Suits are threatened against the Coal-Dealers' Association of Calfornia and the various wholesale dealers to break up a so-called combination, which, if it is a combination, has been the means of aiding the coal-consuming public probably more than any other commercial institution in San Francisco. Previous to three years ago any person who possessed a horse and cart and had the means with which he could purchase fifty or a hundred dollars worth of coal could start up a coal yard. It mattered little then whether a purchaser wanted Coos Bay, Scattle, or either kind of Wellington or any other coals, he could buy it at any price per ton that he named, of many of the retail dealers; but these dealers never furnished what they purported to sell; other coals were mixed with high-priced ones, and short weights ruled in many of the coal they purported to sell; other coals were substituted, and cheap coals were mixed with high-priced ones, and short weights ruled in many of the coal yards of the city. The honorable men in the trade found that they could not meet such competition. They therefore, after consulting with the wholesale men, concluded to protect themselves, and the public as well, by forming an organization that would be a protection. This they have done, and the Coal-Dealers' Association of California is the result; an association composed only of the retailers, but backed by the wholesalers only in the matter of protection to themselves and the public. The result of the formation of this association has been made manifest by the cessation of all nefarious methods of trade that have been alluded to above, and the trade is now in the hands of men who are obliged to be honest in their treatment of customers. An officer of the association can stop any wagon of a member when coal is being delivered and if it is found that he has mixed his coal or is substituting one coal for another, as is easily done in the substitution of Southfield Wellington, the latter costing 50 cents per ton more than or the Dunsmuir Wellington, the

for the Dunsmuir Wellington, the latter costing 50 cents per ton more than the former, or if the weights are found short, a member of the association is fined \$25 for the first offense, \$50 to \$100 for the second, and a summary dismissal for the third. With the dismissal from membership his certificate is taken from him and its cash value is allowed to him after the amount of his indebtedness to the wholesaler is deducted. The cash value of certificates today is about five hundred dolars, and this will misure a man credit to that extent with the wholesaler, who recognizes it as a surety bond. He knows that with this certificate a man cannot sell out over night and thus defraud him of his money, as was the case in many instances prior to the formation of the association.

"Any man of good repute can become a member by purchasing a certificate, but if an applicant bears an unsavory reputation, the certificate is rejused. In those cases where certificate.

savory reputation, the certificate is savory reputation, the certificate is re-fused. In those cases where certifi-cates have been refused in the past it had been invariably found that the ap-plicant's reputation and standing would not warrant his receiving one."

The Commercial Bulletin claims that coal in San Francisco is no higher to-day than before the organization was formed, and in some cases not so high.

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CALIFORNIA AT THE PARIS EX-POSITION. If the efforts of the State Board of Trade terminate successfully. Board of Trade terminate successfully, California will be represented at the Paris Exposition in 1900 by an exhibit that will attract the attention of the world. For weeks the active members of the board have been at work arranging to arouse interest throughout the State, and already primary plans are being evolved that promise a satisfactory exhibition at the French capital of what can be done in all lines in California. It is the the statet. capital of what can be done in all lines in California. It is the intention to carry out the plans that will be formulated on a large scale. A bid for about 15,000 square feet of space will be made, but as that is the amount allotted to the entire United States, it is thought that some trouble will be experienced in obtaining all that is desired.

experienced in obtaining all that is desired.

The San Francisco Chronicle says:

"The Board of Trade is desirous of interesting the entire State in the movement, so that the exhibits sent may convey an idea of the productiveness of California as a whole and not of any particular sections. To bring this about, a convention will be held here early next year, to which representatives from each and every county of the State are invited. A method of procedure will then be outlined and definite action begun toward sending to the greatest of all expositions an exhibit such as Europe has never seen. "Acting under the instructions of the board of directors, Secretary Filcher has prepared and sent to each Board of Supervisors of the State the following letter:

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of Supervisors of the State the following letter:

"To the Chairman and Members Board of Supervisors—Gentlemen: The State Board of Trade commenced some time ago to agitate the question of making an exhibit of California products at the great International Exposition to be held at Paris in the year 1990. At the last meeting of the board this question was discussed, and it was considered advisable to try and secure a convention of representative men from different parts of the State for the purpose of determining the question of California's duty and opportunity in reference to this great event. To secure representation in said convention it was thought best to have the Supervisors represent their sections of the State as far as they will, and appoint other representative citizens from their respective counties.

"In accordance with this idea, I was directed to address your honorable body and ask whether it will be agreeable to you, or to a majority of you, to attend such a convention, and whether you will appoint such a number of other delegates from your county as may be determined to be advisable.

"It is understood, of course, that delegates to the proposed convention will attend at their own expense, the same as delegates to political State conventions. Efforts will be made, however, to secure special rates from the transportation companies.

"Twould ask you, as a special favor, to direct your clerk to communicate to us your pleasure in regard to this matter as soon as possible succeeding the first meeting held by you after the receipt of this letter.

"The proposed convention will most likely be called for some day early in

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'In a matter so important we feel confident of the cooperation of the Su-pervisors of the State, and therefore shall anticipate from you a prompt re-ply assuring us that you will do all in your power to help promote the cause in which we are moving."

#### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Grain quiet at last quotations. Hay firmer on account of prolonged dry weather. The burning of 2600 tons Monday night will not

influence the market. There are still many thousands of tons in storage.

WHEAT—Per cental, 1.25@1.35 for shipping; millers' quotations, 1.50 for job lots.

BARLEY—Per cental, 1626.77½ for shipping; millers' quotations, 552.80.

CORN — Per cental, large yellow, 752.80; small yellow, 852.80; white, nominal; millers' quotations, 1.10 for large and small yellow.

OATS—Per cental, 1.10@1.25.

HAY — Per cental, 1.10@1.25.

STRAW—Per ton, 3.00@4.00.

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FLOUR AND FERDSTUFFS.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS. Market steady at last quotations.
FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process,
4.50; northern, 5.05; eastern, 5.7566.50; graham
four, 2.30 per cwt.
FEEDSTUFFS—Bran, per ton, 22.00; shorts,
4.00; rolled barley, 16.00@17.00; cracked corn,
1.15 per cwt.; feed meal, 1.20.

EGGS, BUTTER AND CHEESE.

nrm. EGGS-Per doz., fresh ranch, 27@29; fancy eastern, 22@24; cold-storage ranch, or "packed" eggs, 12@15; eastern cold-storage, 18@20. BUTTER—Fancy local creamery, per 32-0z.

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gquare. 50@52½; northern creamery. 45@50; fancy dairy, per 32-0z. roll, 46@47½; 28-0z.

roll, 40@42½; fancy tub, 23@23 per lb.

CHEESE—Per lb., California half-crown.

I; Coast full-cream, 12½; Anchor, 13½; Downey, 13½; Young America, 14½; 3-lb. hand, 15½; domestic Swiss, 13@17; imported Swiss, 25@28; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.00@10.00.

FRESH MEATS.

Market steady at last quotations.
BEEF-64@645.
VEAL-76.
MUTTON-6@645; lambs, 7½.
PORK-544@6.
SAUSAGE-Per lb., bologna, 6; blood, 5; lverwurst, 5; fresh pork sausage, 7; wiener, ; wankfurter, 7.

Firm. Quotations unchanged.

APPLES—Per box, fancy belleflower, 1.00@
1.25: Stone's Eureka, 1.00@1.25: white pearmain, 1.00@1.10; common varieties, \$5@1.00

PEARS—Per box, Winter Nellis, 1.25@1.50,
QUINCES—Per ib., 2.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 10@14;
lancy, 14@174.

QUINCES—Per lb., 2.
STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 10@14;
fancy, 14@17½.
BLACKBERRIES—Per box, 9@11.
RASPBERRIES—Per box, 15@20.
FIGS—Per box, 5%1.00.
GRAPES—Muscats, per box, 90; black, 90@
1.00; Cornichon, 1.00@1.10; Tokay, 1.00@1.10.
CRANBERRIES—Per bbt, 8.00@3.00.
GUAVAS—Per lb., box, 4.
PERSIMMONS—Per box, 75@1.00.
POULTRY AND GAME.
Turkeys moving off well at 13@15 cents.
Hens and other classes of poultry quiet.
Game in good demand, except quail.
POULTRY—Per dox., hens, 4.00@4.50; young roosters, 4.00@4.50; old roosters, 3.50@4.00;
broilers, 2.50@3.50; ducks, 4.00%.50; turkeys, live, 13@15 per lb.; dressed, 15@17.
GAME—Per dox., quail, 75@1.00; ducks, widgeon, 1.50@2.00; teal, 1.75@2.00; sprig, 3.00
@3.50; mailard, 4.00@4.50; canvas backs, 5.00
@3.50; mailard, 4.00@4.50; canvas backs, 5.00
@3.50; mailard, 4.00@4.50; canvas backs, 5.00
@5.00; snipe, 75@1.00; plover, 75@1.00; doves, 75@1.00; cottontalls, 1.00.

BEANS.

Beans are quiet. Jobbers quote:
BEANS—Per 100 lbs., small white, 1.65@1.85;
Lady Washington, 1.75@1.85; pinks, 1.85@2.00;
Lima, 2.00@2.25.

Very quiet. Quotations for nuts tending

lower.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, fancy, 767½; apricots, fancy, 668; choice, 567; peaches, fancy unpeeled, 567; pears, fancy evaporated, 8610; plums, pitted, choice, 9610; prunes, choice, boxed, 7½; sack, 6; dates, 6½ 67; flgs, California, white, per lb., 566; California, black, per lb., 565½; California, fancy, per lb., 7½68; imported Smyrna, 12½ 615.

fancy, per lb., 7½@8; imported Smyrna, 12½
@15.
RAISINS—Fancy clusters, 20-lb. boxes, 2.00;
4-crown LL clusters, 1.75; 3-crown LL. per
box, 1.76; 2-orwa loore, ta a-the, per lb., 4;
3-crown loose, in sacks, per lb., 5½@5½; 4
crown, per lb., 6; Sultana seedless, choice, per
lb., 7½@8; Sultana seedless, choice, per
lb., 7½@8; Softshell, Los Nietos, fancy,
g@10; almonds, softshell, 9@11; paper-shell,
11@13; hardshell, 8@9; pecans, 9@11; fliberts,
12; Brazils, 7@; pinones, 19@11; peanus,
eastern, raw, 6@7; roasted, 8@8½; California,
raw, 4@5; roasted, 6½@7.
CUTRUS AND TROPICAL FRUITS.

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Demand good. Prices firm.

ORANGES — Per box, fancy navels, 2.75@
3.50; seedlings, 1.50@2.00.

LEMONS — Per box, cured, 1.75@2.00; uncured, 1.00@1.25.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 3.50@4.50.

LIMES—Per 100, 50.

BANANAS—Per bunch, Bluefields, 1.50@2.50.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES. Firm at last quotations, POTATOES—Per cwt., common, 65@75; Ven-ura Burbanks, 80@90; Salinas Burbanks, 85@

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95.

SWEET POTATOES — Per cental, Jersey reds, 90@1.00; yellow, 50@73.

ONIONS—Per cwt., red, 1.75@1.85; yellow, 1.90@2.00;

VEGETABLES—Beets, per 100 lbs., 70; cabbage, per 100 lbs., 75; chiles, dry, per string, new, 75; green, per lb. 4; garile, 3½@4; beans, string, per lb., 5@6; cucumbers, per box, 75; lettuce, per doz., 15@20; green peas, per lb., 5@6; turnips, per 100 lbs., 85; parsnips, per 100 lbs., h00; leeks, per doz., 20; Hubbard squash, 95; summer squash, per box, 60; egg plant, per lb., 4; tomatoes, per box, 63@75; celery, per doz., 45@60; caulflower, 40%50 per doz.; rhubarb, per box, 65; spinach, per doz., 20.

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Steady at last quotations.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex brand, 9%; selected mild cure, 8%; pienic, 6; boneless, 9.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 11; fancy wrapped, 12%; plain wrapped, 12%; light medium, 9%; medium, 9%; medium, 9%; medium, 9%; for clear bellies, 7%; short clears, 7; clear backs, 6%.

DRIED BEEF — Per lb., insides, 15; outsides, 16. PICKLED BEEF — Per bbl., 12.00; rump butts, 12.50. PICKLED PORK — Per bbl., Sunderland, 14.00. LARD— Per lb., in tierces, pure leaf, 6¼; lvory compound, 5½; Rexolene, 5½; special kettle-rendered leaf lard, 6¾.

HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW. HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW.
Quiet. Quotations unchanged.
HIDES—Dry, as they run, 13½ per 4b.; kip,
11; calf, 15½; bulls, 7.
WOOL—Fall clip, 5½@6; spring, 7@8½.
TALLOW—Per 1b., 2@2½.

HONEY AND BEESWAX. Demand moderate, supply ample to meet all equirements.

HONEY-Per lb., comb, in frames, 7@10; strained, 4@5. BEESWAX-Per lb., 20@25.

LIVE STOCK No change since last report.

HOGS-3½@4 per lb. for prime porkers.
CATTLE-3½@3¾ for prime steers; 2¾@3
for prime cows and helfers.
SHEEP-Wethers, 3.25@3.75 per head; ewes,
2.50@3.00; lambs, 2.00@2.25.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Today's market for stocks was a reversal of yesterday's, and presented nothing but the operations of room traders of the side of a few stocks. The list generally shows some net gain on-the covering of short contracts made yesterday. There was a continuance of the strength shown yesterday in the Northern Pacific stocks, especially in the preferred, which rose 1½ by the close of the day. Metropolitan Street Railway and the Rubber stocks also displayed strength and gained over a point. The strength in the Rubber stocks also displayed strength and gained over a point. The strength in the Rubber stocks also displayed strength and gained over a point. The strength in the Rubber stocks also displayed strength and gained over a point. The strength in the Rubber stock as a was notably weak all day. It showed an extreme decline of 6½ points, tut recovered part of this. Brooklyn Union Gas lost a point in sympathy. The stocks of the American Spirits Company showed extreme weakness on the reports of the demoralized condition of the trade. The common stock fell during the final hour to a point 2½ relow left night's close, and the preferred 3½ per cent. Both stocks railled, but very feedly. The Coalers also inclined to weakness, though they showed some recovery from the lowest. There was some selling of Union Pacific, probably instocks railled, but very feedly. The Coalers also inclined to weakness, though they showed some recovery from the lowest. There was some selling of Union Pacific, probably intended to the exceed half, and was recovered before the exceed [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

fect on this market. A feature of the day was a further rise of 16 in the actual rates for sterling exchange. This is in the face of a continued very heavy outward hosement of merchandise and of selling of securities here for London account, of Indigant proportions. The week's experts of inflicant and are almost as much in excess of those for the calmost as much in excess of those for the administration of the seal ling of morey abroad in preference to drawing out exchange bills. A Chicago coank is authority for the statement that several million dollars of the technique of the seal ling of morey owing to expension in the United States, but left to draw their rate of interest in England and the continent, undoubtedly amount to many millions, though no accurate estimate can well be made of it. Trading in bonds was active, and prices were for the most part firm. Total sales, \$1,525,000. United States have for 7s rose 16 bid, and the old fours coupon and the fives registered declined \( \frac{1}{2} \) bid.

## Bond List.

U. S. n. 4s reg. 128 N. J. C. 5s. 112½

U. S. n. 4s coup. 128 N. C. 6s 122

U. S. 4s ... 112% N. C. 6s 122

U. S. 4s coup. 114 N. P. 1sts 117

U. S. 2ds ... 98½ N. P. 3s ... 93½

U. S. 5s reg. 114 N. P. 4s ... 91½

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Ala. Class B. 169½ N. V. C. & St. L. 165¼

Ala. class B. 169½ N. V. Coll. 144

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Ala. Cur ... 98 O. Nav. 18s ... 120

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Atchison 4s ... 85% O. S. L. 5s ... 93¾

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Atchison 4s ... 161¼ O. Imp. 1sts ... 102

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Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison ... 12½ St. P. & O. pfd. ... 45

Atchison pfd ... 25% St. P. M. & M. .. 120

Baltimore & O. 12½ St. P. M. & M. .. 120

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Can. Pacific ... 79½ So. R. R. pfd ... 29½

Can. South ... 52

Can. South ... 25 So. R. R. pfd ... 29½

Ches. & Ohio. .. 21½ Lunion Pacific ... 19¾

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C. C. C. & St. L. 32½ Wabash pfd ... 17

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C. C. C. & St. L. 154 Adams Express ... 17

Erie (new) ... 154 Adams Express ... 17

Erie (new) ... 154 Lunited States ... 40

D. & R. G. ... 10¾ Am. Express ... 17

Erie sta pfd ... 15¾ Wells-Fargo ... 10

Fort Wayne ... 169¼ Am. Spirits ... 7

Illinois Cen ... 100¼ Am. Spid ... 161

L. E. & W. ... 15

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Am. Tobacco ... 89

Minn. & Nash ... 67½ Com. Cable Co. ... 17

Met. St. R. ... 114 C. F. & I. ... 209

Minn. & St. L. ... 22½ Gen. Cable Co. ... 15

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Minn. 1st pfd ... 85

Mao. Pacific ... 23% Lac Lede Gas ... 40

Mobile & Ohio. 24

Lead ... 23

M. K. & T. ... 12¼ Lead pfd ... 104

M. K. & T. pfd ... 33% Nat. Lin. 0il. 17

C. I. & L. pfd ... 29

N. Y. C. et st. 1... 13½ S. R. & T. 44

N. Y. C. 1st pfd ... 73

N. Y. C. 2d pfd ... 18

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North Am. Co. 4 U. S. Leather ... 7

North Pac ... 19¼ U. S. L. pfd ... 62

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North Pac ... 19¼ U. S. L. pfd ... 62 N. J. Central. 844. Pull. Palace
N. Y. Central. 165% Silver Cer
N. Y. C. & St. L. 1345 S. R. & T. ...
N. Y. C. 1st tpfd. 73
N. Y. C. 2d pfd. 31
Nor. West. 1346 T. C. & 1
North Am. Co. 4 U. S. Leather.
North Pac. 1346 U. S. Leather.
North Pac. 1346 U. S. Leather.
North Pac. 1346 U. S. Rubber.
Ontario & W. 15
Or. R. & Nav. 34
Oregon S. L. 18
Pittsburgh. 167% C. & N. W. pfd.
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Rock Island 87% R. G. W. M. pfd.
St. L. & S. W. 448 R. G. W. pfd.
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NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Money on call easy at 1½@2 per cent.; last loan, 1½; closed, 1½@2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 3½ 62½ per cent.; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers bills at 4.85½ for demand, and at 4.82½@4.83 for sixty days; posted rates, 4.83½@4.85½; commercial bills, 4.82; silver certificates, 5625; bar silver, 583½; Mexican dollars, 45%.

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says: "The stock markets here were neglected today. The mining settlement shows an increas of acco. nt and stiffer rates because of the rise in money. The same remark will probably apply tomorrow at the general settlement. Americans opened dull but closed firm. The Paris and Berlin markets were quiet."

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON. Nov. 23.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: 4vailable cash balance, (216, 993, 285; gold reserve, \$156, 565, 439.

BOSTON. Nov. 23.—Atchison, 12/4; Bell London Financial Market.

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Atchison, 12½; Bell Telephone, 260: Burlington, 93½; Mexican Central, 5½; Oregon Short Line, 18. London Silver.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—Consols, 1131/4; silver, 271/4d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

(CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—It needed constant effort on the part of pit traders to keep any life in the wheat trade, and business was seldom smaller than it ruled todav. The market showed some degree of activity at the opening. Liverpool opened ½d higher for Liverpool wheat, and ¾d up for futures. Private cables explained that the Liverpool strength was on reports of Argentine crop damage. Still other cable messages said the English strength was due to increased milling demand, buying of cargoes by the continent and Argentine rumors. The Liverpool close was posted at ¾d to 1½d higher. In fact, the cables were so very stiff that the trade discredited the strength claimed, and talk of manipulation from this side found believers. The Liverpool opening strength, however, was responsible for the advance at the start here. May, which closed here at 90%c, opened at from 91½ to 91¼, a gain of 1½c, and December showed a similar advance. The Northwestern receipts were, however, too heavy to permit the development of any enthusiasm on account of the reduction in Argentine prospects. Minneapolis and Duluth received law cars, against 1473 a week ago, but compared with 562 the corresponding day of the year before. The net effect of the news was to make sellers scarce, and prevented also the disposal of any great quantity of long wheat at the advance. Fresh buyers at the improvement were also scarce. Infrequent fluctuations within narrow range was a consequence of the mutual timidity of buyers and sellers. The export clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 600,000 bushels. Bradsreet's visible supply statement reported an increase in this country, east of the Rockies, of 626,000 bushels, and an increase in affort more suffered by a local firm to Liverpool the night before was reported early in the day, and five bookloads in addition were sold for shipment later. New York reported a fair export inquiry, and twenty-two boatloads w

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| Grain Movements. | Receipts. Shipments. | Receipts. Shipments. | 11,000 | 19,000 | Wheat, bushels | 97,000 | 63,000 | Corn. | 281,000 | 122,000 | Oats. | 400,000 | 226,000 | Rye. | 12,000 | 17,000 | On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery. 16@21: darry, 12@19. Cheese, quict. 8@8\\\ 2. | Eggs, firm; fresh. 18. | Chicago. | Chicago.

Available Supplies.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Nov. 22.—There were no new features in the wool market here this week. Values continued hard, and no weakness can be discovered anywhere. Fleece wools are quoted at 30@31 for choice lots. Territories are in good demand, being about the only class of goods that is moving to any extent. Prices are firm. There has been a fair demand for Austalian at prices 2 or 3 cents below import points. Quotations: Territory wools, Mcntana fine medium and fine, 16@18; scoured price, 48@49; staple, 52@55; Utah, Wyoming, etc., fine medium and fine, 15@17; scoured price, 48@50; staple, 52@55. Australian wools, secured basis, combing superfine, 70@72, combing good, 65@68; combing, average, 62@65; Queensland, combing, 65. Boston Wool Market.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 23.—Cattle—Rece pts 15,000; the market was weak to 10 cents lower; native steers, 3.20@4.95; native cows and helfers, 1.25@4.00; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.35; bulls, 2.45@3.25. Sheep—Recelpts 4000; the market was firm; lambs, 4.09@5.75; muttons, 3.80@4.45.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Nov. 23.—Credit balances, 65; certificates, first sales, 68; close 67½ bid, with sales at 68 and more offered; shipments, 144,790 barrels; runs, 114,192 barrels. Fruit at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The Earl Fru't Com-pany sold today: Grapes, Emperor, single crates, 1.50; Red Emperor, 1.50; White Em-peror, 1.50; Emperor clusters, 2.15.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Copper, easy, 10.76 bid; 10.75 asked; lead, strong, brokers, 3.50 exchange, 3.80. Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Nov. 23.—Close: Wheat, spot
No. 1 red northern spring, firm, 7s 6½;;
corn. November, steady, 3s %d: December,
3s 2%d: January, steady, 3s 2½d; American
mixed firm, 3s 2½d. Petroleum.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Petroleum steady, Pennsylvania crude, nominally 5.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. Grain and Produce.

Grain and Produce.

[ASSCIATED PIRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—There was no sample session of the Produce Exchange today, owing to the death of John McCord, a member. Wheat is higher, both for speculative and eastern markets; foreign and eastern advices were encouraging, and the local market followed. During the week a further reduction was made in flour of 20c per barrel. Barley is steady for the average offerings, and quite firm for bright feed; the receipts are small of late. Corn is weak, the supply is too large; there was none in today, but there is plenty here to supply all needs. Hay is steady. Prices have shown no advancing tendency, notwithstanding the imported smaller stocks. All the bran and middlings that arrive nowadays find a ready market, for the supply has been exhausted for some time. Potatoes are in moderate supp.y, and with a better demand prices will muve, so the market is steady. In onlons the demand and the prices are well sustained. Peas and beans have been firm, the supply being small. Peas from Los Angeles have been coming from Half Moon Bay. No lima beans are here at the present. Good tomatoes mue firm, and a few bring more than our price. are here at the present. Good tomatoes suice firm, and a few bring more than our price. The apple market is well supplied; the presence of wormy stock lurts the sale of the choice article for the holiday trade. There is only a fair demand for fancy apples. Berries cut but little figure now; only a few raspberries arrived today. Ordinary varieties of table grapes move slowly; a few Isabelias and white Cornichon bring fancy prices. Not much call for pears; very few fancy here. Plums will soon be out of market; very little demand for them and very few offering. Oranges are easier; mandarins are lower, Cimes and lemons are dull and prices weak. Fair demand for nuts particularly for almonds and walnuts.

QUOTATIONS.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Flour—Family extras, 4.554(4.6): baker's extras, 4.3064.40.

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SG10; peanuts, 4 for California, and 5 for eastern. Honey-Comb, 10 for bright and 669 for other grades; water-white, extracted, 4½64%; light amber, 3½64; beeswax, quotable at 23 625 per lb. San Francisco Mining Stocks. 

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Flour, quarter sacks, 11,332; Oregon, 9538; wheat, centals, 1200; Washington, 3745; barley, centals, 5365; oats, centals, 480; Washington, 2340; beans, sacks, 4558; potatoes, sacks, 1582; Oregon, 1393; onions, sacks, 66; Oregon, 188; bran, sacks, 50; Oregon, 2800; middlings, sacks, 200; Oregon, 500; hay, tons, 207; mustard seed, sacks, 36; wool, bales, 23; hides, number, 544; raisins, boxes, 3055; orandy, gallons, 99, 100; buckwheat, sacks, 24. Receipts

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Wheat was strong, December, 1.44%; May, 1.42%; barley, weak, December, 86%; corn, large yellow, 90@92½; bran, 18.00 per ton.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Silver bars, 58%; Mexican dollars, 45%@46%; draits, sight, 15; drafts, telegraph, 17%.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Their Appearance in Court in Santa Monica Yesterday. James Wilson, John Fletcher and A. C. Caral, the three friends of "Poker" Davis, who "did the best they could" in Santa Monica Monday, and got jailed for their pains, had a turn in court in that city yesterday morning. They appeared before Justice Wells. J. R. Rush acted as their attorney, and

"POKER" DAVIS'S FRIENDS.

till 10:30 a.m. Friday.
Fletcher and Caral were brought
back to the County Jail, from which
place Fletcher was released on bail in
the afternoon. Davis and Rosenhein
were accepted as sureties on his bond

The charge of robbery is still pend-The charge of robbery is still pending against each of the three, but a different charge will probably be substituted for it when the District Attorney takes up the case. The Magistrate has notified A. E. Fletcher, the complaining witness, that if he fails to appear at the time fixed for the hearing of the case he will be guilty of contempt of court.

LEGALS. Election Notice and Procla-

mation.

Notice is hereby given that;
Whereas, the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, state of California, on the 3d day of November, A. D. 1897, entered an order upon the minutes of said board, ordering that the question of the issuance of \$580,000.00 refunding bonds of Los Angeles county. California, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, all of which bonds shall run five years from their head date, and then \$34,000.00 to mature should be submitted to the qualified electors of said outry, and that a special election be called in said Los Angeles, county, state of called in said Los Angeles, county, state of called in said of the said election should be submitted to the qualified electors of said county, and that as a pecial election should be permitted to vote.

Therefore, notice is hereby given that in accordance with said order of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Los Angeles, state of California, a special election by the qualified electors of said county will be held within said county on Saturday, the 11th day of December, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said county will be held within said county on Saturday, the 11th day of December, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said county will be held within said county on Saturday, the 11th day of December, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said county the question of the issuance of \$65,000.00 of erfunding bonds of the county of Los Angeles, in the denomination of one thousand payable submitting to the said section of the saunace of \$60,000 of erfunding bonds of the county of Jonary, A. D. 1904; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1905; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1905; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1905; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1912; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1912; \$34,000.00 on the list day of January, A. D. 1

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Inspectors, J. W. Stringfield, J. R. Garthside; judges, F. A. Molyneaux, W. H. Hewitt; clerks Cyrus Burdick, W. H. Goodrich; ballot clerks, F. Schwan, Fred J. Smith. Lordsburg and Spadra election precincts—At old postoffice building, Lordsburg:
Inspectors, J. F. Cumberland, M. L. Sparks; judges, A. T. Currier, John Eagan; clerks, Chas. M. Wright, J. M. Fryer; ballot clerks, A. B. Davis, Wm. K. Whitesell.
Alhambra and San Gabriel election precincts—Adam's real estate office, Main street, Alhambra: Nawton W. Thompson, Honry Fishback; judges, Daniel W. March, W. W. Garner; clerks, Will C. Mulock, E. Stews McKee.
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art; ballot clerks, James McDonough, Ernest McKee.
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Inspectors, Wm. Proud, R. H. Reynolds; judges, Alvah Starbuck, Milton T. Brooks; clerks, Ralph McNees, R. C. Gray; ballot clerks, Merrill Holbrook, Os Burk.
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First Ward, Los Angeles City election precints Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6—At 530 Downey avenue:

Inspectors, C. H. Wickman, S. I. Prescott; judges, F. W. Tyler, W. T. Lamble; clerks, J. B. Warence, R. J. Colyear; ballot clerks, J. B. W. Houser, E. M. Hamilton.

Second Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17—At first floor of Courthouse:
Inspectors, E. B. Rivers, A. E. Senseney; judges, John L. Slaughter, John D. Bailey; iderks, A. C. Day, Herman Steh; ballot clerks, G. S. Clark, L. Boutillier.

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Fourth Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 70 and 71—At fire engine heuse, 16th street; between Grand avenue and Hope street: Inspectors, A. W. Worm, N. Lindenfeld; judges, W. L. Ewing; L. Sentous; clerks, W. M. Johnson, M. Morris; ballot clerks, H. W. Frank, Geo. Roberts.

Fifth Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 37, 38, 39, 72 and 73—At Marl-borough stable, No. 980 W. Twenty-third street; Inspectors, A. C. Shafer, Dan Neuhart; judges, Horace Hiller, W. A. Watson; clerks, Elizage, Horace Hiller, W.

Fifth Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 37, 38, 39, 72 and 73—At Marlborough stable, No. 930 W. Twenty-third street:

Inspectors, A. C. Shafer, Dan Neuhart; judges, Horace Hiller, V. A. Watson; clerks, Frank Johnson, M. Albee; ballot clerks, Jas. H. Harris, John Q. Hutton.

Sixth Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 46, 46 and 74—At fire engine house, Main street, near Adams street;

Inspectors, E. H. Dalton, J. H. Butler; judges, H. R. Smith, H. L. Sheets; lerks, J. D. McCandless, M. W. Conklin; ballot clerks, J. H. Whitney, Wm. B. Luebbers. Seventh Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 47, 48, 49 A, 49 B, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55 and 56—At 608 East Fifth street: Inspectors, James Booth, J. F. Greenough; judges, L. P. Crans. Booth, J. F. Greenough; judges, L. P. Crans. Hon. J. Echhoen; ballot clerks, Thomas Booth, J. F. Greenough; judges, L. P. Crans. Hon. J. Echhoen; ballot clerks, Thomas Houth, J. H. Schoor, ballot clerks, Thomas Houth, J. H. Schoor, ballot clerks, Thomas Houth, J. H. Schoor, ballot clerks, Thomas H. A. 57 B, 58 A, 58 B, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63—At 332 Aliso street; Dickson, Asa Todd.

Ninth Ward, Los Angeles City election precincts Nos. 64, 65, 66, 67 and 68—At fire engine house, First street, near Chicago street; Losectors, John R. McManus; ballot clerks, A. Shon, J. P. Wylis; ballot clerks, James Light, J. R. Cate.

Cabuenga and Monte Vista election precincts—At Pass schoolhouse:
Inspectors, J. C. Roberts, W. H. Carlin; judges, G. T. Gower, Wm. M. Taggart; clerks, Geo. Killian, L. J. Quint.

Ballona election precinct—Vote at Ballona schoolhouse:
Inspectors, John Coper, C. N. Heekman; ballot clerks, Edward E. Eldridge, J. B. Le-lons.

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Adolph Leuzinger, Harvey S. Thompson.
University election precinct—At Wilson's
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Inspectors, Geo. Osborn, Orlando L. Seeley. 

lark, B. Rosin; ballot clerks, E. E. Beeson

ton election precinct—At Compton school-Compton election precinct—At Compton schoolhouse:
Inspectors, J. A. Goldwater, Joseph Lucas;
Judges, H. J. Kent, William Gaines; clerks,
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Burlingame, B. F. McCartney; ballot clerks,
W. H. Turner, J. Moody.
Artesia, and Norwalk election precinct—at
Inspectors, L. C. Hallett, Garnet Duncan;
Judges, C. C. Brown, W. W. Orr; clerks,
Vinton B. Dilley, J. E. Courtney; ballot
clerks, Atwood Sproul, John B. Hollingsworth.
San Vicente election precinct—At schoolhouse:
Judges, J. H. Dinsmore, James Kennedy;
clerks, J. E. Dunham, ——; ballot clerks,
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Clearwater election precinct—At Clearwater
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Nos. 1, 1, 3, 4 and 5-Vote at National Inspectors, ——; judges, ——; clerks, ——; ballot clerks, ———; clerks, Redondo election precincts—At Redondo schoolhouse:
Inspectors, Estey Brunson, Wm. Usrey; judges, J. B. Mullen, J. Roach; clerks, William Hess, F. D. English ballot clerks, Wm. R. Williams, F. C. Mellus, election precincts—At Florence schoolhouse:
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Inspectors, W. H. Hohand, J. C. Hannah; judges, Geo. F. Duntley, Geo. S. Weinshank; clerks, A. J. McPhall, A. W. Austin. Liano and Palmdale election precincts—At Palmdale schoolhouse:
Inspectors, Geo. S. Martin, Theodore Hoelling; judges, Arthur A. Lawon, John Nicklein; clerks, Ralph H. Wholmes, Louis Tilghman.
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lein; clerks. Leroy S. Elliott, A. B. Cox; ballott clerks, Ralph H. Wholmes, Louis Tilghman.

Calabasas election precinct—At Courthouse: Inspectors.

T. D. Cheney; clerks,

Chas. A. Bell; ballot clerks, John Hogland,

Geo. Nash.

La Liebre and Del Sur election precincts—
At Fairmont schoolhouse:

Inspectors, T. C. Janes.

E. W. Edson;

Judges, E. W. Spencer, Joseph Johnson;

clerks, Chas. H. Crane, H. Sandberg; ballot

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clerks, A. M. Watson, D. H. Dunning; ballot

clerks, T. D. Buffington, John Darling.

Garvanza, Glendale and La Cafada election

precincts—Vote at Glendale schoolhouse:

Inspectors, H. Zuber, R. G. Doyle; judges,

E. T. Byram, G. T. Bathey; clerks, G. L.

Davidson, Daniel J. Green; ballot clerks,

Samuel Hunter, Robert Devine.

North Pasadena election precinct—At Pinger

Block, corner Fair Oaks and Logan street;

Inspectors, D. S. Burson, Elliott Lewis;

judges, M. H. Salisbury, Chas. S. Seaman;

clerks, Geo. A. Winner, A. G. Broner; ballot

clerks, O. L. Clyde, Geo. W. Mundel.

Lankershim election precinct — At school
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Inspectors, T. B. Cumpston, Wm. Gli-breath; judges, R. Varney, S. B. Noble; clerks, W. C. Weddington, A. McCormick; ballot clerks, M. Beamon, J. L. Sargent, San Fernando election precinct—At Maclay Hotel:

Hotel:
Inspectors, R. A. Hoyt, John M. Jenifer;
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E. L. Brown, G. C. Wallace; ballot clerks,
O. F. Rinaldo, F. F. Strader.
Acton election precinct—At Soledad schoolbouse:

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Acton election precinct—At Soledad school-house:
Inspectors, Logan R. Rayburn, J. H. Jones;
judges, C. H. Odell, Joseph Gilbert; clerks,
Ed Brough, Paul Bachert; ballot clerks, H.
Wyneken, P. H. McPhetridge.
Newhall election precinct—At schoolhouse:
Inspectors, J. H. Arnott, W. N. Forker;
judges, J. F. Powell, W. E. Pardee; clerks,
J. E. Wright, J. R. Moore; ballot clerks, W.
E. Erwin, C. A. Mentry.
South Pasadena election precinct—At Clty
Hall:
Inspectors, J. J. Young, A. J. Moody;
judges, Chas. D. Clapp, Aaron T. McReynolds; clerks, H. J. Cone, C. H. Gardiner;
ballot clerks, W. C. Brainerd, Albert Gibbs.
By order of the Board of Supervisors.
[Seal]
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest:
County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of the
Board of Supervisors at Los Angeles
county, California.
By C. W. BELL, Deputy.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate. Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN
pursuance of an order of the superior court of
the county of Los Angeles, state of California, made on the 22d day of October, 1897, in
the matter of the estate of Janet Simpson, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator
with the will annexed of the estate of the sald
Janet Simpson, deceased, will sell at private
sale to the highest bidder and subject to confirmation by said court, on or after the 27th
day of November, 1897, the following-described
real estate, to-wit:
Lot one, block "G," of the Pellissier tract,
according to a map on file in the recorder's
office of Los Angeles county, in book 15,
oage 70, miscellaneous records of said county,
Said lot is situate in the city of Los Angeles,
in the county of Los Angeles, state of Callitoria.

page 70, miscellaneous records of said county, Said lot is situate in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, state of California.

Lots 10 and 11 of the "Walker tract," according to a map thereof recorded in book 10, page 76, miscellaneous records in the office of the county recorder of Los Angeles county, Said lots are situate in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, state of California.

The southwesterly thirty feet of lots 51 and 52, and the northeasterly ten feet of lot 63, of the Balectock 1, pages 505 are map thereof recorded in county of Los Angeles county of Los Angeles county the whole and a frontage of 49 feet, with a depth of Los Angeles county of Los Angeles, claim to the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California.

Terms—Cash, gold coin of the United States, Bids in vriting will be received at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale, and may be addressed to the undersigned and left at his office, 78 Temple block, in the city of Los Angeles, California.

Dated, 4th November, 1897.

Administrator with the will annexed state of Janet Simpson, deceased.





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MARSHAL LACY MAKES A HAUL AT THE KLONDIKE RESTAURANT.

Proprietors and Bar-tender Heavily Fined-Santa Fe Improvements Thief Caught in Y.M.C.A. Rooms Opening of the Carlton Hotel.

PASADENA, Nov. 23.— [Regular Correspondence.] Marshal Lacy and Officers Bristol and Pinkham visited the Klondike Restaurant on South Fair Oaks avenue, shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon, and made a good find, not of gold, but of liquor. The proprietor, Mrs. Lucy Farara, was in the restaurant at the time Marshal Lacy passed through, but failed to recognize him, and no warning was given to the occupants of the room in rear of the two rooms used for restaurant purposes. Upon arriving at the door warning was given to the occupants of the room in rear of the two rooms used for restaurant purposes. Upon arriving at the door separating the bar-room from the restaurant, the Marshal stooped down and gave the required number of raps upon one of the lower panels of the door, and it was opened. He and Officer Bristol, who had followed him into the place, saw the bartender hand out two glasses of beer, and, before the two men standing in front of the sideboard could seize them, the officers took them for evidence.

The officers found in the room seven well-known Pasadenans, five of whom were engaged in a friendly game of cards.

Mrs. Farara and Charles F. Radney, the bartender, were escurred to police headquarters, and the two officers took along six demiljohns and two bottles of assorted liquor, to be used as evidence should the arrested parties decide to contest the case.

Mrs. Farara was charged before Recorder Rossiter with keeping and exposing liquor for sale, pleaded guilty, and was fined \$200. She did not have the money, but, as she gave evidence of being able to pay the fine in the morning, was allowed to go on her own recognizance.

morning, was allowed to go on her own recognizance. Charles F. Radney at first wanted to contest the case, even though he acknowledged having been caught in the act of dispensing the liquor, but to fight the case would necessitate the calling of those present as witnesses, and finally, to shield his customers, he pleaded guilty and was fined \$100.

The Klondike is one of the more recent restaurants in the city, having been started but about three months ago, but in that time has done the liquor business so openly as to cause comment and speculation as to the "pull."

"Pull."

PECULIAR LAWSUIT.

Dr. G. Roscoe Thomas owns considerable real estate, included in which is a row of one-story wooden buildings on East Colorado street. One of the stores in this block was rented by Mrs. A. Clare. Business was quiet, so Mrs. Clare closed the doors, and on November 6 Dr. Thomas wanted the rent for November 6 Dr. Thomas wanted the rent for November. Mrs. Clare gave him a check for \$20 for the November rent, telling him she had no funds in the bank to make good the check, and it would be several days before she could have. On Tuesday morning Dr. Thomas presented the check and was, to there were no funds. He gave the check to there were no funds. He gave the check to indorse and he changed his mind about wanting it, and left the bank with the check, and Dr. Thomas attached Mrs. Clare's property. The suit tried today was to recover the \$20. The amount is still in the bank to honor the check. The jury brought in a verdict for defendant after being out but a few minutes.

THE SANTA FE PARK.

The ground surrounding the Santa Fé depot in rear of Hotel Green, now used as a stand for depot carriages and express wagons, is be beautified and made into a park. The tainel from the power-house, a few hundred feet south of the present hotel, has been completed, and Proprietor Green has arranged to give the Santa Fé the use of a strip of land between the power-house and the present small park south of the Hotel Green, in exchange for the present area occupied by carriages. On Wednesday it is expected the contract for the work will be signed, as well as a contract for replacing the board culvert on East Colorado street with a metal or cement culvert, and then placing asphalt over it to conform to the remainder of the street.

AN ALL-AROUND HORSE THIEF.

H. Bracher, the man who was arrested in THE SANTA FE PARK.

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H. Bracher, the man who was arrested in Los Angeles on Saturday, while trying to dispose of a stolen rig belonging to Mrs. Fred Pope of this city, was identified today by the Sheriff of San Bernardino and also the man to whom he sold a stolen horse and buggy belonging to Sergt. Coleston of Pasadena, as the right party. He is also accused of having stolen a horse and buggy in San Bernardino the same evening that he sold Coleston's outfit there.

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A YOUTHFUL THIEF.

Rese McKelvey, a lad 15 years of age, the son of a prominent and respected jeweler in this city, was arrested late this evening, charged with stealing money at various times from the clothing of members of the gymnasium class in the Young Men's Christian Association. Special Officer Kelsey was secreted in the dressing-room, as many thefts have been reported of late, and saw young McKelvey abstract some money from the clothing of one of the pupils then in the gymnasium. He was placed under arrest, and Judge Rossiter was notified. The boy pleaded guilty, and sentence was deferred until tomorrow. McKelvey acknowledges having stolen \$7.90 at various times. He is a member of the Y.M.C.A., and is a pupil in the ninth grade grammar school.

PASADENA BREVITIES. PASADENA BREVITIES.

The Carlton Hotel, which has been closed for some time, was formally opened today by George F. Weaver, proprietor and manager of the Grand View Hotel at Catalina. The Americus Club will drill tomorrow evening preparatory to parading on New Year's day in the Tournament of Roses.
C. B. Scoville, wife, daughter and maid, and Miss Lillian Dodworth arrived this evening from Chicago.

Funeral services over the remains of Roy Lewis were held at the Friends' Church its morning.

this morning,

(C. D. Clapp, 64 years of age, died at his
home in South Pasadena yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Leonard returned
today from their wedding trip.

Thanksgiving dinner at Carlton Hotel, 50c. Don't neglect to order Thanksgiving icc-cream, cakes and sweetmeats of McCament. His motto: "The Best."

#### CHINO.

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Farmers Ordered to Assort Their Beets—Bad Outlook.

CHINO, Nov. 23.—(Regular Correspondence.) There has been posted at the sugar factory a notice ordering beet-growers to assort the beets before delivering them to the factory, throwing out damaged ones. This is due to the fact that the beets are depreciating in value rapidly. They are every day becoming more wilted, and it is being found so difficult to work the wilted beets that the work is impeded. It will take until Christmas to complete the run if all the beets are worked, which is by no means certain now. The growers claim that their beets have depreciated 20 per cent. In weight since taken from the ground, and this order to assort the beets means that the loss on the farmers will be still heavier if complied with. The farmers, however, are in rebellion against this order, and, as near as can be learned, it is being very generally ignored. In fact, the farmers are talking of seeking their rights through litigation if any part of the crop goes to complete waste, as now seems probable. Under the contracts with the factory. Beery farmer prepares his ground, plants the seed and cultivates the beets under as complete instructions as though he had no interest in the returns. In return for this the factory agrees to accept the beets during the beet season, reserving

## EWS FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS,

the right to reject any diseased beets or beets falling below a certain standard. Hereto-fore the campaign at the factory has closed before November! and the farmer leism that their beets should have been accepted by the company by the mean that their beets should have been accepted by the company by the season and that the factory is responsible to handle the close of the beet season at that the factory is responsible to handle the crop without extending the work to a period which has caused heavy loss, and is liable to compel the waste of thousands of tons of beets. They fall to see the justice of a system which takes the care of the crops out of their hands and yet leaves them to suffer the loss caused by the inability of the factory to handle the crop.

Monday night some miscreant threw a brick through an extra-large plate-glass window in the office of the land company, causing a loss of fully \$100. If the managers of the company have any suspicion of the author of the deed they are not making it public.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST THE CALI-FORNIA BEET-SUGAR ESTATE.

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Large Masonic Gathering in Honor of Grand Lecturer Mitchell.

Work of the Associated Charities—A Brakeman Hurt.

SAN BERNARDINO, Nov. 25. — [Regular of Correspondence.] E. M. Hansbrough of Chino has brought suit against the California Better of recover 8600 damages, which he is alleged to recover 8600 damages, which he is alleged to recompany, together with the costs of the suit. The complaint sets forth that on December 1, 1898, Hansbrough leased of the defendant of company, together with the costs of the suit. The complaint sets forth that on December 1, 1898, Hansbrough leased of the defendant of the defendant of the see provided for a certain number of 1,135, the lease extending to January 1, 1898.

The lease provided for a certain number of water runs, which the plaintiff alleges were supplied only in part. In consequence, the part of the lease of the part of the lease of the part of the lease of the seed of the

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITLES
The following officers of Silver Wave Chapter, No. 75, O.E.S., were installed Tuesday
evening by Mrs. Mary A. Davis, D'strict
Deputy Grand Matron of the order: Alice R.
Davis, W. M.; J. F. Johnson, Jr., W. P.;
Mrs. T. D. Brummett, A. M.; Mrs. P. J.
Chase, C.; Mrs. H. Clark, A. C.; Mrs. A. S.
Lord, Treasurer.

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The Associated Charities have made an appeal for clothing for distribution among the poor of the city. Some pressing needs have recently been brought to the attention of the officers of the organization, and a Thanke-giving offering from the people of San Bernardino is asked for.

Meiton Back was on Mohday arraigned in the Superior Court for forgery, and was given until next Monday to plead. The crime alleged was committed last summer, but Backs whereabouts were unknown until recently, when he was located at Santa Ana.

Walter Davison, a brakeman on the Atlantic and Pacific, was brought to town Monday, with one of his hands badly crushed. He was coupling freight cars and his hand was caught between the bumpers.

The Baptist Church choir will give a concert, Thanksgiving afternoon, under the direction of C. E. Percy, at the Highland Asylum, for the entertainment of the immates.

A regular meeting of the Websters was held Monday night in Judge Campbell's courtrooms. Speeches were made, followed by the usual debates.

An entertainment was given Monday night by the Woodmen of the World at Odd Fel-

Diversion of Storm-water—Mexican Wild Man Arrested.

RIVERSIDE, Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] An adjourned meeting of the City Board of Trustees was held Tuesday morning. Complaint was made by J. H. Reed that certain property-owners above Chicago avenue and outside the city limits are building embankments to divert more storm water down Chicago and Massachusetts avenue. The question of the city's legal power in the premises was discussed at lensth. It was finally decided to instruct the eileged of fending parties that if any damage is done to the city's streets from such diversion of water they will be held liable to suit for damages from the city.

The resolution providing for the Walnutstreet sewer was read for the second time and adopted.

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Plans and specifications for the Southern Pacific's proposed new depot on Market street were submitted.

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C. A. White was awarded the contract for the construction of the Monroe-street storm water drain.

The Daily Press was awarded the contract for the city advertising at \$3 cents per limited and the proposed to purchase.

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SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Henry Till of this city has begun suit against the San Dlego Brewing Company for \$5000 damages for an alleged violation of contract was entered into between the plaintiff and the brewing company, whereby the principle of the city is proposed to suit for five years to sell the bottled beer manufactured by the brewing company. The contract covers the counties of San Diego Brewing Diversion of Storm-water-Mexi-

the construction of the Monroe-street storm water drain.

The Daily Press was awarded the contract for the city advertising at 83 cents per square, first insertion; 20 cents second insertion, and 10 cents for each subsequent insertion, The Enterprise bld was 92 cents first insertion, 20 cents second insertion, 12½ cents each subsequent insertion. WILD MAN FROM MEXICO.

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Justice Mills had to do Tuesday with a strange-looking creature, apparently about 60 years old, and who looked about as much like a monkey as a man. The semi-wild man had been arrested Monday by Constable Burrell near Arlington Heights, in which section he had become a nuisance by frightening children, and in other ways. He was found living in the brush. He understood a little Spanish, ard gave his name as Juan Gonzuella. He said he came from Mexico, and had once been a woodchopper. The case-was a puzzier for the officials, and it was decided to keep the creature in jall a day or to, to afford time to consider what is best to do with him.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES. A meeting of the directors of the River-side Chamber of Commerce was held Tues-day afternoon.

The general delivery and carriers' window at the postoffice will be open Thanksgiving day from 9 to 10 a.m. There will be no de-livery by carrier.

PERRIS.

Nov. 22.—[Special Correspondence.] The home of J. Edwin Stewart on San Jacinto avenue was totally destroyed by fire on Saturday morning. The cause was a defective flue. The loss was \$2000, insurance \$1500.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

LIGHTING THE STREETS-CITY TO BE REDISTRICTED.

Mayor Reed Gone East-Chamber of Commerce Organising to Secure a Railroad-Suit for Damages. Killed by Falling Down & Shaft.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 23.— [Regular Correspondence.] Both branches of the City Council met Monday evening, and there were but few absentees in either house. Considerable interest was centered in the meeting from the fact that the matter of lighting the city for the next year, beginning April 1, 1888, was to be taken up. But short work was made up, the report of the committee, recommending that the bld of the San Diego Gas and Electic Light Company, being the lowest, be accepted, providing the company make no charges for lights on nights when the moon is obscured by clouds or fog. The rate for is obscured by clouds or fog. The rate for lights under this bid is \$10.50 per month per light, or \$1200 per month for the entire serv-ice, the contract being for one year from April

come up.

The petition of James McNair for permission to lay cement sidewalks on Fifth street was denied, and Alderman Pauley was granted a leave of absence for thirty days.

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MAYOR REED GONE EAST.

Mayor D. C. Reed of this city left last Friday for Chicago. At the time of his departure word was given out that his property interests in the Windy City demanded his attention, and that he would be absent only about ten days, but a report has gained circulation here the last day or two that the Mayor will pay Chicago a flying visit only, and that his real destination is Washington, D. C., where he goes in the interest of a scheme to defeat the government appropriation for San Pedro Harbor.

A son of the Mayor, however, stated to the Times correspondent, today, that his father had gone only to Chicago on a business trip, and that he would be home in about two weeks.

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The committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to take the initative in securing a railroad from San Diego to Yuma, thus opening up a direct line to the East, has organized by electing M. Sherman chairman and A. E. Nutt secretary. The committee consists of U. S. Grant, Jr., M. Sherman, A. E. Nutt, W. N. King, M. A. Luce and C. L. Josselyn. Regular meetings of the committee are to be held and plans formulated by which the city will move as a body toward securing this much-needed improvement, and as soon as the plans have been well laid the same will be given to the public. A concentrated effort is to be made to bring a railroad direct to San Diego from the East, and from present indications it will not be long until this is accomplished. San Diego then expects to enjoy a building boom of no mean proportions.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

cinity of Campo, which he purposed to purchase.

While being let down a sixty-foot shaft on
a rope, the stick on the end of the rope broke,
and he was precipitated about thirty feet to
the bottom of the shaft, breaking an ankle
and receiving internal injuries, from which
he died.

The remains were brought to this city last
evening, and today the funeral services were
held at National City, under the auspices of
the local Masonic order. The deceased leaves
a widow and family at El Neido.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

A surveying crew, in charge of W. A. Hart,

A surveying crew, in charge of W. A. Hart, has gone out from Yuma for the purpose of making a permanent survey for a railroad and tramway from the sulphur mines to the Colorado River. It will require about six weeks to complete the survey, after which the construction of the road and tramway will be immediately begun.

The Anti-saloon League of this city now has over one hundred and fifty veters on its roll, and the general plan of its work will be made public in a few days. The names of the Committee on the Enforcement of Law will be kept a secret.

E. A. Woodard of San Diego has been elected secretary and treasurer of the Southern California division of League of American Wheelmen. A. Blochman is the San Diego representative of the league.

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Superior Judge Hughes has rendered judgment for the plaintiff in the case of A. 3.
O'Connor, receiver of the California National
Bank, vs. the San Diego Eastern Terminal
Railway Company, for \$18,500.
The Third Division, Naval Battalion, located in this city, has been allowed \$520 for
new uniforms. This company is the largest
in the State, having seventy-four members.

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During the day they go from house to house and beg.

The First National Bank of this city has been appointed receiver of the Judson residence property on Seventeenth and D streets. The U.S.S. Alert arrived today from Acapulco, en route to Mare Island navy-yard. All well on board.

Mary Eleanor Foxen has been appointed administratrix of the estate of the late John Callaghan.

#### SANTA MONICA. Bids Invited for a Part of the City

Santa Monica, Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] The City Trustees had a long conference this afternoon with Fred Eaton, who has been employed as consulting engineer in the sewer matter. It was decided to advertise for bids for the main sewer from a point on Railroad avenue near Tenth street along Railroad avenue to a point near the ocean, and then southerly along a line not for from the beach at Strand street. Proposals are to be received by the City Clerk up to 2:39 p.m. December 6. This work at its upper end will be of 12-inch vitrified pipe, "double strength," and in the lower portion the pipe will be as large as twenty inches in diameter. Practically all of the work will be of "open-cut" construction. It is expected that a sewer-pipe concern up the coast will try to get the business, and an interesting contest in the way of low bidding is looked for between this concern and the Los Angeles dealers.

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The City Trustees have in view two routes for the sewer beyond the southerly city limits. One route extends about three thousand feet outside the city, and the other only to the southerly city limits.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

A dog belonging to J. E. Hoy went wild this afternoon and ran about the streets snap-

A dog belonging to J. E. Hoy went wild this afternoon and ran about the streets snapping and biting at people. Young Charlie Rutledge was painfully bitten. The brute was shot by Deputy Marshal Webb. Ground has been broken and work is proceeding rapidly on the new High School building at Oregon avenue and Tenth street. It will be known as the Lincoln school. Baseball and football contests will be held at the Southern Pacific Park on the afternoon of Thanksgiving day. The proceeds will go to provide a Christmas dinner for the poor.

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Seaside Lodge, No. 369, I.O.O.F., will give a ball Wednesday evening in the new quarters recently acquired by the lodge.

Union services for the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches will be held Thanksgiving morning in the Methodist Church, Rev. O. F. Wisner will preach, and the other pastors will participate.

Battalion drill of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will be conducted in Seventh-street Park Thursday at 10 a.m. The Pasadena, Los Angeles and local companies will participate.

Services for the ordination of Rev. R. A. Maynard were held in Unity Church Monday evening. A sermon was preached by Rev. Butt Estes Howard of Los Angeles. The following-named people participated: Miss Jessica Wilson, Mr. Baird, Miss Grace Webster, Fred H. Taft, Rev. Mila Tupper Maynard, Capt. J. A. Oggood, Rev. U. G. B. Pierce of Pomona, Rev. R. M. Webster of Pasadena, Miss Rose Lowman, Rev. A. A. Rics of Los Angeles and Kate Tupper Galpin of Los Angeles.

#### VENTURA COUNTY.

RAILROAD NEARLY COMPLETED.

talvo Railroad—High School Ath-letes—Large Deliveries of Corn. Signing of Sugar-beet Contracts, Prospective New Schoolhouse.

VENTURA, Nov. 22 .- [Regular Corresp

VENTURA, Nov. 22.—[Regular Correspondence.] The grading of the roadbed for the Ventura and Ojal Valley Railroad is rapidly nearing completion. There are two gangs working, one near the Ojal and the other on the outskirts of Ventura. Grant Bros., the contractors, stated that the grading at this end would be finished by the 25th inst., and that the entire roadbed would be graded by December 25.

A lumber vessel is expected to arrive daily with bridge material, and immediately upon its arrival bridge construction will commence. Within two weeks Grant Bros. will commence laying track, and will lay at the rate of one-half mile per day at the start. Arrangements have already been made with the Southern Pacific Company to furnish that amount of material per day. An engline and working crew will arrive December 1.

VESSELS OVERDUE.

The barkentine Emma Claudius is now three days overdue. She left Tacoma November 6 with 321,000 feet of pine lumber for the People's Lumber Company. This amount is 41,000 more than last trip. This same lumber company expects within ten days a steamer with 240,000, feet of redwood. The Charles Hansen is now at the mills loading 250,000 feet of pine.

The Ventura County Lumber Company expects three vessels to arrive within thirty days, one with pine and two with redwood.

MONTALVO RAILROAD.

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L. A. Grant of Grant Bros., railroad con-tractors, went to Montalvo this morning for tract covers the counties of San Diego, Orange and Riverside. The plaintiff alleges that his right has been infringed upon by the company by beer being sold to parties in Orange county with permission to bottle and sell the same. The court is asked to restrain the company from further violation of the contract and to award the plaintiff damages in the sum of \$5000.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES.

Tractors, went to Montaivo this morning for value for the purpose of viewing the territory over which the Southern Pacific will construct the railroad that is to be built for the use of the beet-sugar factory.

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HIGH-SCHOOL ATHLETES. HIGH-SCHOOL ATHLETES.

The Ventura High School Athletic Association will send a delegate to the scholastic athletic meeting, which will be held in Los Angeles on Saturday, December 11. This meeting will be held for the purpose of considering the advisability of holding a Southern California interscholastic field meet on next May day. Delegates from all southern high schools will probably be in attendance.

VENTURA BREVITIES.

To date there has been received at the

VENTURA BREVITIES.

To date there has been received at the wharf 30,000 bags of corn, and about five thousand bags have been shipped to San Francisco. It is estimated that 75,000 bags will be delivered at the Ventura wharf. Three carloads are received daily from Filimore and Sespe. The total daily receipts now aggregate 3000 bags.

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All sugar-beet contracts for the first acrage have been signed by both parties and in duplicate. There are 10,485 acres involved, distributed among two hundred persons. The contracts call for from two acres to 650 acres. There were several 500-acre contracts.

The citizens of Santat Paula are agitating the question of building a new schoolhouse. The present building is overcrowded. Numerous children have been turned away during the past month, while seventeen are without desks. The cost of a new schoolhouse would be \$10,000.

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The mercantile firm of Chaffee Company, in existence since 1863, is dissolved. L. A. Chaffee, the manager, acquires proprietorship; absorbing the interests in the establishment of the heirs to the estate of W. S. Chaffee, deceased.

There were placed in the County Recorder's office today two new cars for the reception of county records. They arrived last night from Rochester, N. Y. The cars, complete and in position, cost the county \$755.

The High School students will have Thanksgiving holidays on Thursday and Friday. The grammar-school children will have Thursday only.

C. F. Fargo of San Francisco, who owns

C. F. Fargo of San Francisco, who owns large interests in the Santa Ana Water Company and Hotel Rose, is in the city.

Capt. Cross, president of the Ventura and Ojai Valley Railroad, arrived on this morning's train. Auditor Gray of the Southern Pacific Mill-ing Company of San Francisco is in Ventura.

Five tons of wool were shipped by steamer to Los Angeles last Saturday. Judge B. T. Williams is holding court in Santa Barbara. W. H. Barnes left for Fort Worth, Tex.,

NEW REPOSITORY.

A large assortment of business buggles and wagons at H. O. Haines's new repository. 121 North Broadway.

Famine of Freight Cars Interferes With Orange Shipping.

REDLANDS, Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] Nearly all of the big firms are thipping oranges East in response to the unusual demand for the early crop, but shipunusual demand for the early crop, out sin ments during the past few days have be seriously interfered with on account of famine of freight cars. On Tuesday about dozen available cars made their appearan and were promptly sidetracked at several, the packing-houses, and by night most

Workmen are engaged in getting the positive into shape so that it will conform office into shape so that it will conform to
the requirements of the new lease, which soon
goes into effect. In the front portion, which
is open to the public, a new floor is being
iald. The room in the rear, formerly used
for restaurant purposes, has been vacated.
It will be connected with the office proper
by an archway, and will be fitted up in a
manner to best meet the requirements of the
place. The improvements will be completed
by December 1.

MORE SIDEWALKS WANTED.

A determined month, led by the Redlands.

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A determined affort, led by the Redlands Chamber of Commerce and approved by many of the interested property-holders, is being made to have a continuous stretch of cement sidewalks laid on both sides of Orange street from Colton avenue to Cajon street, and on both sides of the last-named thoroughfare to Cypress avenue. These streets constitute the main thoroughfare between the north and south ends of town, and cement sidewalks at present extend over a comparatively short section of the territory outlined. A petition for new walks on Cajon street has already been presented to the City Board of Truetees, and the Chamber of Commerce proposes to push the matter.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

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REDLANDS BREVITIES.

In addition to the prizes offered for the bicycle races Thanksgiving afternoon at Athletic Park, a handsome prize will be awarded to the player making the largest number of base hits in the baseball game that is to be played between two local nines

#### SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Shooting Blue Rocks-Thanksgiving Football—Fancy Fair.

SANTA BARBARA, Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] Local sportsmen had an interesting time Sunday afternoon at the shooting park. Several matches were shot and the exercise ended only with the day-light. A thousand "blue rocks" were tacrificed to the new enthusiasm. Private matches ficed to the new enthusiasm. Private matches for practice are occupying the time and attion of the members of the gun club until the grand Thanksgiving tournament.

A Thanksgiving game of football will be played at the race track in the afternoon, by

played at the race track in the atternoon, by a team of the athletic club and an eleven from the High School students. Messrs. A. W. Potter and N. D. Barker will present papers upon the "Nature, Origin and Destiny of the Spirit," before the Study Club in the Unitarian Church pariors this evening.

possession of Sonnenscheim Villa on opper State street. George C. Sherman found the petrified ver-tebrae and a broken rib of a whale imbedded in a cliff of Sycamore Cañon, recently.

POMONA. School Children Preparing Thanks-

School Children Preparing Thanksgiving Food for the Poor.

POMONA, Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] The children of the public schools of
this city are engaged in the charitable work
of gathering food to be presented to several
poor families for Thanksgiving day, Even
the tiny kindergarten children can be reen
carrying bundles of vegetables, fruits, canned
goods and all manner of delicacles and substantials to school, while the older children
are doing the same, or contributing cash
with which to purchase flour and other eatables. While no one is asked to do much, the
voluntary offerings of those of the 1100 pupils
who can afford to give will undoubtedly provide liberally for the few really poor people
of the town.

waging war with sin.

The Trustees have instructed the City At-torney to draft an ordinance making the license for theaters \$50 per annum. The pres-ent license is \$5 per night for each per-formance.

### The Street Superintendent has notified prop-erty-owners to remove the pepper trees on French street north of Washington avenue.

Londpoc producers are shipping apples to Machigal' (Liszt;) (b) "Magio Fire" (Wagner-Brassin.)—Mrs. Crow. Aria (opera "Salvator Rosa,") "Mia Piccerpoultry association, which is to be held December 9.

M. B. McDuffle has gone to Los Angeles for a week's visit.

Mrs. J. L. Trusiow and daughter, Miss Carrie, departed this morning for permanent residence in San Francisco.

The members of the Methodist Women's Tories in Misseion Society will machie the residence of Mrs. McPhall, on Bradbury avenue, this afternoon.

Allen Green, the conductor whose foot was recently amputated, is rapidly recovering, and has been removed from the Cottage Hospital his home on Palm avenue.

Mr. Eaton's family have arrived and taken possession of Sonnescheim Vilfa on Upper State street.

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Mrs. J. L. Trusiow and daughter, Miss Carrie, departed this morning for permanent residence in San Francisco.

"Mattinatia" (Tosti;) (b) "Octave Btude" (Boothe.)—Mrs. Colby. (a) "Mattinatia" (Tosti;) (b) "Octave Btude" (Boothe.)—Mrs. Colby. (a) "Wattinatia" (Tosti;) (b) "The Old Head of Kinsale (Irish) (Moir;) (c) "Die Thrane" (Kuteken.)—Mr. Fellows.

"Gay Seville" (Spanish) (Chaminade;) (d) aria (opera "Gabriella") (Pizzi.)—Madame Bishop. Duetto (opera "Faust") "Penetrato e il mio cor" (Gounod.)—Madame Bishop, Mr. Fellows.

The family and friends of Abe Archi-bald of El Monte are greatly alarmed bald of El Monte are greatly alarmed over his mysterious disappearance from his home Monday night. Archibald is 55 years old and has been sick for six months, his brain apparently being affected. He wandered away Monday night and has not been seen since, although people searched the neighborhood diligently all day yesterday for some trace of the missing man. He is described as short, heavy set, and quite gray. He wore blue overalls when last seen. His family consists of a wife and one child, 14 years old.



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ORANGE COUNTY.

SANTA ANA TO BE BONDED FOR THE SEWER SYSTEM.

rusade Begun Against the Social Evil—Several Churches Behind the Movement—Shade Trees to Be Removed from French Street.

SANTA ANA. Nov. 23.—[Regular Correspondence.] At a meeting of the Board of Trustees complete plans and estimates of cost for the proposed sewer system were unanimously adopted by the board, and filed. The City Attorney was instructed to take the mecessary measures for bringing the question of bonding the city for \$85,000 before the citizens. It was decided that in case bonds are voted, the entire system shall be completed as expeditiously as possible. The face of the bonds will probably be \$500 and \$425; they will run forty years and bear 5 per cent. Interest.

Interest.

WAGING WAR WITH SIN.

A crusade against vice is being inaugurated in Santa Ana, and the peace officers are kept busy trotting priseners to and from court. Several churches are behind the movement. Detectives have been employed, and are working hard to secure convictions. Three cases are to be tried this week. The first to come before Justice Huntington was that of Mary L. Wright, charged with conducting a house of ill-fame, and also with selling iliquor without a license. A writ of prohibition was asked for and denied by Judge Ballard on the ground that it was not shown that the Justice had no jurisdiction in the case. J. Marion Brooks, the defendant a attorney, gave notice that he will appeal from Judge Ballard's decision to the Supreme Court. Later a writ of habeas corpus was asked for and denied. The case is being tried this afternoon before Justice Huntington. William Wright, better known as Mysterious Bill, "charged with helping manifested in these cases, as they are the first of the kind in this county.

ORANGE COUNTY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Theodore Morris, a resident of Santa Ana, died this morning in Pomona. The re-

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won by Mme. Johnstone-Bishop at her won by Mme. Johnstone-Bishop at her appearance in this city last spring will have another opportunity to endoy her delightful voice at Music Hall this evening. The sale of seats has been large and the concert will undoubtedly be as great a success socially and financially as it is certain to be artistically. tically. Mme. Bishop will be assisted by Gertrude Colby, pianiste, and Harry J. Fellows, tenor, and the following programme will be rendered: (a) "Die Nachtigal" (Liszt;) (b) "Magic Fire"

Mrs, Pearl Severance gave an enjoyable zither concert at the Blanchard-Fitzgerald Hall last evening. M. S. Arevalo and the Misses Dalsy and Lillie Weller and Miss Maud Priest assisted.

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The steamers Eureka and Coos Bay leave San Pedro and East San Pedro for San Francisco via Ventura, Carpenteria, Santa Barbara, Gaviota, Port Harford, Gayudos, San Simeon, Monterey and Santa Orus, at 6:20 P.M. Nov. 1, 6, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 20, Ed. 37, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31, 31, 31, 4, 8, 12, 16, 22, 31, 34, Cars connect with steamers via San Fedro leave S.P.K.R. (Arcade Depot) at 5:38, 34, and Terminal Ry, depot at 5:18 P.M. Take Company reserves right to change, without and Terminal Ry. depot at 5:15 P.W. The Company reserves right to change, without previous notice, steamers, sailing dates and hours of sailing. W. Parris, Agt., 124 W. Second St., Los Angeles. GOODALL, PERKINS & CO., Gen. Agts., S. F.

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## City Briefs.

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The Natick House wishes to announce to the public that they will serve their turkey dinner Thanksgiving from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Meals at the usual price, 25c, or 21 for \$4.50. Extra accommodations provided.

Furs! Furs! Furs! The furrier depart-ment of the Natural History Store. Pasadena, will be represented at Na-deau Hotel Tuesday. Satisfaction

The Times is prepared to do on short notice any kind of plain linotype com-position for 30 cents per thousand ems. Brief work for 35 cents per thousand. For Thanksgiving decorating get Redondo carnations and beautiful Catalina holly, at 321 South Spring. B. F. Collins, florist.

Tonight—Apron and necktie party at Bixby's Hall, No. 610½ South Spring street. Good music; admission 25 cents. Special—Finest cabinet photos reduced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam. No 236 South Main street. Cycle repairing, enameling, sundries; low prices. Pacific, 217 W. Second

Turkey dinner Thanksgiving day, 25c; Illich's restaurant, 219-221 W. Third st. Peniel Hall, praise meeting led by Dr. Yoakum, at 2:30 Thanksgiving day. For sale—Smilax, \$5 per 100. 920 Castelar.

Texas seed oats, Baldwin's, Pasadena. Skeele's organ recital November 29.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for J. T. Harvey, Albert H. Cram, G. Bie-dinger.

W. Reeb was fined \$5 yesterday by Justice Owens for scorching. August Roberty contributed \$1 to the police fund for violating the hitching ordi-

nance.

On Thursday, November 25, Thanks-giving day, the postoffice will be open from the usual time until 12 o'clock noon. The carriers will raske their usual morning deliveries and collections

Thanksgiving services will be held at the Cumberland Presbytscian Church, Union avenue, near Tenth street, Thursday at 11 a.m. Discourse by the pastor, Rev. T. A. Cowan; subject: "America's Debt to Christianity."

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A meeting of the International
Brotherhood League was held at No.
525 West Fifth street, on Tuesday evening, when the following speakers addressed the audience: Mrs. L. F.
Weiersmuller, Härry B. Leader and
Abbott B. Clark.

#### RAISING THE FLAG

Exercises at the University of Southern California Yesterday.

A pretty and impressive ceremony occurred at the University of Southern California yesterday morning when beautiful new flag was raised over the main college building. The hour usually devoted to chapel exercises was taken for the ceremony. The main body of the students gathered on the lawn in front of the building, while Miss Rose, president of the senior class, accompanied by representatives from the other classes, climbed to the tower and unfurled the starry emblem.

As Miss Rose pulled the rope which

released the handsome flag and the

released the handsome flag and the long cardinal pennant which was unfuried with it, the students gave three vigorous cheers, followed by the college yell.

Clyde M. Crist, class of '98, presided over the exercises which followed. The 'Varsity Glee Club sang the "Star Spangled Banner" and Dean Cochran of the College of Theology led in prayer. President White then delivered an eloquent and patriotic address and the exercises closed by the singing of "America."

The flag, which was purchased by the students and faculty, is a magnificent one ten feet in width by twenty in length. Above it floats a long cardinal streamer with the initials "U.S.C." in gold letters.

#### STEAMER WENT DOWN. Exciting Time on the Ohio River

All Passengers Saved.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—At 6:20 o'clock last evening, the steamer Telegraph, one of the largest and best boats plying on the Ohio River, sunk at Fern Grove, a short distance from Louisville. The steamer's passengers had a narrow escape from drowning and a number of sensational scenes were enacted. The cause of the accident could not be definitely learned.

The Telegraph was on her way from Louisville to this city with a small passenger list and a light cargo of freight. She was so badly wrecked that she will be a total loss. She was worth \$10,000.

Climate and Crops. Weather Bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture, climate and crop bulletin for Southern California for the week ending Novembe

Cool mornings prevailed the first two days of the week, with frosts in exposed places; the frosts were quite heavy in the mountain districts, but in the coast sections they were generally light. No damage resulted from the frosts. The middle of the week was very warm, with dessiccating land winds, which rapidly dried out the ground. Rain is badly needed in all sections as the soil is getting too dry for plowing and seeding and pasture is drying up. The dry weather retards setting of berries, besides delaying the planting of root crops and necessitates irrigation of orchards. The warm, dry weather hastens the ripening or oranges, many of which have been picked and sent off for the holiday trade.

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trade.

Los Angeles city: Cool mornings first two days, with light frost in low places on 16th. Very warm middle of week, with drying northerly winds. But a trace of rain has fallen so far this month, causing a deficiency of nearly an inch for the month. Highest temperature, 92 deg.; lowest, 50 deg.

South Los Angeles: The weather of the past week was generally clear. The ground is getting dry and retards setting of berries and planting of root crops. Highest temperature during the week, 74 deg.; lowest, 48 deg.

West Palmdale: Highest temperature during the week, 78 deg.; lowest, 34 deg.; lowest, 35 deg.; lowest, 36 deg.; lowest, 37 deg.; lowest, 37 deg.; lowest, 38 deg.; lowest, 39 deg.; lowest, 39 deg.; lowest, 39 deg.

A Bicycle Thief's Fate. Herman Stumpf, the young man who stole a bicycle and pleaded guilty when caught with the wheel in his possession, was given a six months' sentence by Justice Owens yesterday. Stumpf is also suspected of stealing a wheel that was left in front of the Bullard Block one day last week.

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A SICK MOTHER-IN-LAW.

CAUSED GEORGE B. SMITH TO GO OUT OF BUSINESS.

Wherefore His Creditors Say Unkind Things and Endeavor to Seize the Furnishings of Smith's Tonsorial Establishment.

The man who would cease toil and close shop out of respect for his sick mother-in-law has been heard of at last, but coupled with that discovery s his disappearance, which is causing is creditors much worry.

The man with such unusual respect for his wife's mother is George B. Smith, who prior to Sunday last con-ducted a barber shop at No. 226 East Fifth street. The shop is still there with all its contents, but customers find this legend pinned on the door:
"This shop will be closed till next Friday, because my wife's mother i

Friday, because my wife's mother is very sick and not expected to recover. [Signed] "G. B. SMITH."

Smith's wife's mother lives in Kansas, and it may be that Smith and his wife have gone thither to comforther in her dying moments. Be that as it may, the fact remains that they are not in Los Angeles, and there are some people who are unfeeling enough to say that they will never come back and that their hurried departure was premeditated and done to defraud creditors.

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One of the creditors, Watts Clarke, of the Frisco market, has not hesitated to put his belief in the form of an affidavit, which is filed in Justice Morrison's court as part of the papers in attachment proceedings.

At the instance of Mr. Clarke, Deputy Constable Brakesuhler yesterday attached a small quantity of cigars and tobacco and a clock in Smith's barber shop. He would have attached more, but found that the chairs, bathtubs, etc., were covered by a chattel mortgage.

Clarke's claim is for only \$10, but the manner in which Smith became indebted to him and others is what makes Clarke and the rest of the creditors suspicious of Smith's motives.

Clarke's business place adjoins the barber shop. Last Friday evening Smith called on Clarke and asked him for the loan of \$15. Clarke got out his check book and asked if \$5 was enough. "Well, you might as well make it ten, while you are at it," replied Smith. Clarke, out of neighborly kindness, handed him a check of \$10 without asking any questions. Smith then went to Mrs. Lampson's confectionery, adjoining his shop on the other side, and borrowed \$5 from her. Then he went to Mrs. Donovan, but she refused to accommodate him. How many more people he "touched" is not known, as it is not probable that all of his victims have learned of his disappearance or reported their losses.

In addition to what he borrowed, Smith raised \$20 more by selling his bicycle to a second-hand dealer. He and his wife were both seen about town as late as Sunday afternoon. That night they disappeared and the note about the sick mother-in-law, which was found posted on the door of the barber-shop Monday morning, is the only explanation of their absence.

On learning of Smith's actions previous to his departure, several of the creditors took steps to attach the property left behind, but Mr. Clarke forestalled the rest and seized all that w

McMullin Liberated.

The petty larceny complaint agains T. J. McMullin was dismissed yesterday by Justice Morrison. The defendant was accused of stealing a pawn ticket from an old man who was under the influence of liquor. McMullin's defense was that the ticket was given to him for safe-keeping. He was tried by a jury some time ago, but the jury disagreed. Detective Steele, the principal prosecuting witness, is too sick to attend court, and as McMullin had already been in jail a long while, it was decided by the prosecution to abandon the case, it being deemed, assuming his guilt, that the prisoner had already been sufficiently punished. T. J. McMullin was dismissed vester-

Felony Examinations,

The examination of John Drew and William Wilson for assault to rob was set yesterday by Justice Owens for November 26, at 2:30 p.m. John Barchers's examination for grand larceny was set for November 29. Barchers is accused of stealing a horse, buggy and harness. Johnnie Burns, Francis Carter and Willie Moore, youthful highwaymen, will be examined November 26, at 3 p.m. The Moore boy was released on his own recognizance vectorated. William Wilson for assault to rob was nizance yesterday

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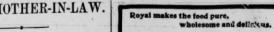
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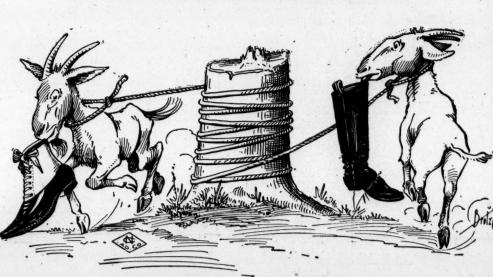
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